Amador loses NCS playoff

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Weather
Mostly fair in the valley through Friday with patchy morning fog. Warmer days. Lows tonight in the mid 30s to low 40s. Highs today in the 50s and Friday in the mid 50s to mid 60s.

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Repairs nearly done

Pool problems plague VCSD

DUBLIN — The status of Valley Community Services District Parks and Recreation programs is like the old refrain "first the good news ... "

VCSD General Manager Paul Ryan told the VCSD Board of Directors Tuesday night that the Valley Community Swim Center pool may be filled with water this coming weekend.

Ryan said repairs to the pool costing $6500 are almost finished. "We will need 1 to 2 days of dry weather to caulk the pool," Ryan reported, "and then half a day for an acid wash."

He said unanticipated problems had held up repair work that was authorized last December.

But speaking of pools, the bad news was that the San Ramon Olympic Pool site at California High School has been neglected, and VCSD directors have received numerous complaints.

VCSD director Chuck Ladner said the situation came to his attention last Thursday. He inspected the site and found the small pools dirty and littered with rocks and tin cans.

The lavatories, Ladner reported, were filthy.

Director Richard Fahey reported there was no cover on the Olympic size pool on Sunday.

Ryan said the school district was responsible for maintaining the pool at this time of year.

"Maybe this should be handled as part of the reeevaluation of our relationship with the school district," director Lila Euler said. The VCSD board decided several weeks ago to review the status of its agreements with the school district.

Ryan said he had not received any complaints about the site. Ladner noted it had been cleaned up by Thursday night by VCSD personnel, but Ryan said he had no knowledge of it.

There was some good news about the VCSD park development program.

Ryan reported that 80 sets of plans and specifications on Dublin Sports Grounds had been sent out. One third were sent to contractors, Ryan said, who may bid on the project.

Ryan also said VCSD had received approval from the State Department of Parks and Recreation for 1974 bond act monies for Athan Downs.

Ryan said the district will now advertise for contract bids on Athan Downs, a 22 - acre park site off Montevideo Drive in San Ramon.

But there was some bad news on the status of Boone Acres, the proposed 5 - acre neighborhood park in San Ramon.

Negotiations to acquire the site from Seeno Construction Company are not proceeding well.

Seeno rejected a VCSD offer of $215,000 on Tuesday.

And VCSD rejected Seeno's counteroffer of $290,000.

A new appraiser had been selected to appraise the value of the Boone Acres site.

Joe Covello, chairman of the Citizens Advisory Committee on Parks and Recreation, told the board, "I would hate to see us lose the park — it's that important to San Ramon."

VCSD legal counsel Peggy McElligott said the district intended to expedite the matter. "We have no wish to see this drag on for another six months or more," she said.

But McElligott cautioned, "We simply don't have full control over the timing."

Challengers, incumbent win Pleasanton election

PLEASANTON — "It's nice to be one of the three," said William Herlihy as he contemplated his third place finish in the election Tuesday night.

Herlihy, a one - term incumbent, received 2,222 votes, trailing other winners Ken Mercer, 2,612 votes, and Frank Brandes, 2,425 votes.

"In general we have a council I can be very comfortable serving on," said Herlihy. Asked if the defeat of Councilman Roger McLain and his own third place finish reflected anti - incumbent sentiment, Herlihy said it is "difficult to say if it is anti - incumbent feeling".

"It's clear that I had good support in the campaign and I was not unduly alarmed that I finished third." Herlihy finished second four years ago behind Floyd Mori and ahead of Ed Kinney.

Mercer was unvailable for comment yesterday. Brandes told The Times, "The easy part is over, now comes the hard part. I made a lot of commitments to a lot of people that I would try to resolve these problems. It wasn't campaign rhetoric, but things I was very concerned about on the part of the city.

"I was very pleased I didn't have any political organization behind me. Success was due to people who have not been involved before in political activity," said Brandes.

Roger McLain, appointed nine months ago to fill out the unexpired term of Assemblyman Floyd Mori, told The Times he will have a statement for the press on Tuesday, when the city council will convene at 5 p.m. at the council chambers for the swearing - in of new council members.

The new council will select its officers at the meeting next Tuesday Herlihy would appear to be in line for the mayor's job. He has the longest service on the council and holds the current title of vice - mayor. But he had no comment on the selection of mayor yesterday.

Councilwoman Joyce Le Claire is interested in the mayor's position. "I have some things to offer which have not been done in the past and leadership abilities for the city's advantage," she said.

The breakdown of voting by precincts shows that Mercer led in 15 of the city's 31 precincts. Average voter turnout was approximately 30 percent of people registered.

Herlihy led in three precincts — 721 Neal St., Walnut Grove School, and Pleasanton Elementary School. He finished second in 11 precincts and third in nine precincts.

Brandes was first in 11 precincts, second in six precincts and third in eight precincts. He ran strong in Val Vista, Pleasanton Meadows, Del Prado and Amador Estates.

Jordan placed first in his home precinct in Stoneridge and in two downtown precincts. The downtown precincts were highly concerned about the city's former redevelopment plans, which Jordan as an officer of Citizens Against Redevelopment helped to kill.

Jordan was second in two precincts, third in five precincts, and fourth in seven precincts.

Gene Finch recorded one second place finish, four thirds, and eight fourths. McLain was third in three precincts and fourth in seven precincts.

Robert Attebery, who did little campaigning, finished last in all precincts. Unopposed City Treasurer John Wipfli received 3,610 votes, but at least two voters disagreed. They wrote in Frank Brandes's name for city treasurer. And someone named Middleton had a write - in vote for city council in the Del Prado tract.

— by Ron McNicoll

Pleasanton trustees receive new teacher unit pay package

PLEASANTON — The Amador Valley Teachers Association presented its contract for the 1976-77 school year to Pleasanton Joint School District trustees last night.

A 53-page document, trustees and Supt. Bruce Newlin were initially flustered as to whether the news media should have copies after they were presented by John Lanto, chairman of the AVTA bargaining team.

Under terms of new collective bargaining legislation, the negotiating process between teachers and school district administrations calls for one representative teacher group in each district to present a contract proposal.

Actual negotiations, according to the Rodda Bill, cannot begin until Aoril 1.

The contract spells out in detail all benefits, working conditions, remuneration, and procedural details as worked up by the bargaining committee of the teachers' group.

The statement seeks a cost - of - living increase of 6 to 8 per cent, a reduction in teaching days from 177 to 175 and, most importantly, binding arbitration of grievances.

Benefits included in the package are life insurance, prescription drug coverage, and vision care. Teachers currently have medical and dental coverage.

Miller in race?

Retiring Livermore councilman Donald Miller has requested nomination papers for Zone 7 of the Alameda County Flood Control and Water Conservation District, The Times learned yesterday.

The seats of incumbents David Harris, Robert Becker and Harlan Zodtner are up for election. None of the incumbents have announced their intentions.

Miller has been an outspoken critic of what he has termed the Zone "the zone's efforts to get into the sewer business."

A spokesperson for Mun Mar, chief engineer of Zone 7, reported Miller had requested the nomination papers which must be returned by March 12.

Butcher arrested in valley coed kidnap

LIVERMORE — A 44-year-old Pleasanton butcher arrested in Reno, Nevada last Friday was returned to Livermore last night to face charges he kidnapped a Valley campus coed at gunpoint Feb. 26.

Robert George Noble of 3433 Norton Ave. Pleasanton was arrested by Reno police after an arrest warrant for kidnapping was issued by the Livermore Police.

The victim, Patricia Jones, 28, of Livermore, was reported safe after the incident.

Police said the two were prior acquaintances, but Jones had left Noble after a fight about three weeks ago.

As Jones left classes at the Chabot Valley campus Feb. 26, Noble allegedly abducted her at gunpoint, drove her to San Francisco International Aiport and forced her to accompany him to Reno.

According to police, the victim gained Noble's trust and was able to make a phone call to a Livermore man who alerted police to her whereabouts.

Noble was arrested Friday without incident. He waived extradition and was returned to Livermore by Detective Sgt. Bill Bankert last night.

The district attorney's office formally charged Noble with kidnapping, a court clerk said yesterday. No court date for a preliminary hearing was set pending formal booking of the suspect.

Flow figures to be reviewed by LAVWA

PLEASANTON — Approval of final wastewater flow projections is expected at the Livermore - Amador Valley Water Management Agency board meeting today, 5 p.m. in the Pleasanton Justice Court.

LAVWA's participating agencies (Livermore, Pleasanton and Valley Community Ssrvices District) must approve the 1998 flow projections so that the Environmental Impact Statement on the proposed cross - valley effluent disposal pipeline can be completed.

VCSD Tuesday night approved a fundable flow capacity of 15.76 million gallons of residential sewage per day (MGD).

This figure, based on an E - zero growth rate, is broken down into 6.62 MGD from Livermore, 2.587 MGD to the Sunol plant, 2.423 from Pleasanton to VCSD, and 4.13 from VCSD.

Projected flow from the Alameda County Fairgrounds and industrial capacity increase the fundable flow to 18.44 MGD.

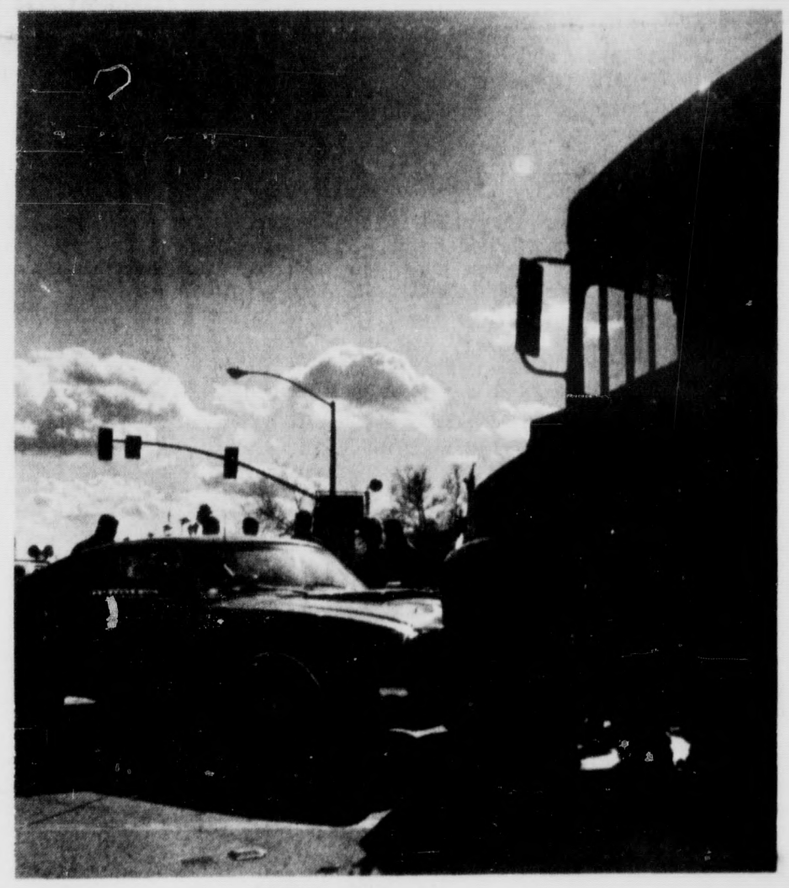
The flow projections will be used to determine the size of the pipe that carries the effluent out of the valley for eventual disposal into the San Francisco Bay.

Pleasanton and VCSD differ on whether the pipe should be sized to accommodate average flow or peak flow.

In 1998 a 15.76 residential sewage flow is projected for the valley during an average flow month.

But in peak flow periods the flow may rise to 28.24 MGD residential flow.

Pleasanton argued the pipeline should be sized to accommodate peak flow. This would be a larger pipe, with larger carrying capacity.



Collision

One person sustained minor injuries in a collision involving a car and an Amador Valley School District bus loaded with 41 students yesterday in Pleasanton. The accident at Santa Rita Road and Vervais Avenue about 3 p.m. tied up traffic going into the downtown for only a short time. There was no report on the condition of the injured person.

(Times photo by Peter Griffith)

New MSD trustee

Jeffery opposes second school bond test

Successful Murray school board candidate Linda Jeffery was already continuing her research into district problems following Tuesday's triumph over five other candidates seeking the one - year term.

Mrs. Jeffery, who resides with her husband, Dennis, and children Kristine and Scott on Cranford Lane in Dublin, said she would oppose any move to take the $1 million bond issue soundly defeated Tuesday back to the voters in June.

Board members approved placement of the issue on the June 8 ballot at a meeting early last month. However, the action is somewhat of an option move as placing of any issue on the ballot requires 120-day notification to the county. Trustees could still decide to refrain from putting a bond issue on the June ballot.

However, as matters stand now, the first of two buildings planned for the Dolan intermediate school site can be built with monies the district presently has but the remainder would have to be completed by bringing in portables.

This would eliminate any chance of the district getting a grant for solar heating of the buildings.

The district must pass a bond issue and qualify enrollment - wise, via a somewhat complicated state formula, before any further school building construction can be started in the Murray district.

Mrs. Jeffery won four of five precincts in Dublin and five of nine in Pleasanton. Art Laursen was first in voting at Wells Intermediate in Dublin and captured top spot at Highland Oaks Recreation Center, Drywood and Pleasant Hill Road in Pleasanton. Eugene Hinton led tabulations in the Hot Springs Court precinct in Pleasanton.

Final vote totals for the six candidates was as follows (all 14 precincts):

Linda Jeffery, 608; Art Laursen, 544; Eugene Hinton, 247; Dawn Rutter, 200; Dr. Harry Overline, 184; Harrietta Dahlin, 129.

Final vote totals on the bond measure were as follows:

Yes, 828; No, 1288. Total number of voters eligible to cast votes was 7757.

The bond measure took a drubbing in all five Dublin precincts but got a slight "yes" plurality in four Pleasanton precincts (Highland Oaks 90 to 72, Drywood 84 to 64, Muirwood 74 to 68 and Pleasant Hill Road 75 to 71).

Breakdown of precinct voting in Dublin on the bond issue went as follows:

Nielsen, 226 to 93 "no"; Dublin School, 92 to 38; Murray School, 167 to 58; Frederiksen School, 104 to 35; Wells School, 96 to 42.

In the precinct breakdown for the candidates in Dublin, Jeffery led Nielsen tabulations with 89 followed by Laursen 69, Dahlin 58, Overline 47, Rutter 19 and Hinton 8.

Mrs. Jeffery was an easy winner in the Murray School area with 73 votes to 44 for Hinton, Rutter 40, Laursen 40, Dahlin 13 and Overline 9.

She won a narrow victory at Dublin Elementary with 33 votes to 32 for Rutter, Laursen 31, Hinton 11, Dahlin 1.

In Pleasanton, three of the five precincts favoring Mrs. Jeffery also voted against the bonds.

One precinct, at Donlon School, gave Mrs. Jeffery a 48 to 25 margin over her nearest competitor (Laursen) and split (59-59) over the bonds.

Abstracting of the Pleasanton totals shows Mrs. Jeffery gaining 330 votes to 309 for Laursen, 163 for Hinton, Overline 89, Rutter 77 and Dahlin 36. Pleasanton voters defeated the bonds 596 to 559.

According to Heinz Gewing, assistant superintendent for the Murray district, Mrs. Jeffery will be sworn in at the first board meeting in April (Monday, April 5).

— by Al Fischer



Two men arrested in fracas at Donut Wheel

LIVERMORE — Two men were arrested at the Donut Wheel on First Street after they allegedly dared customers and police to fight, police said yesterday.

Officer Donn Neher responded to the shop and found two customers acting belligerent. They began to approach Neher, who kept them at a distance with his night stick while awaiting back-up units.

Officer Brian Woodward then entered the shop, grabbed one of the men and they wrestled to the ground. The other suspect then lunged at both officers but was subdued and handcuffed.

While checking one of the men for injuries, Neher was kicked in the head, but required no hospitalization. One half-pint of whiskey was recovered at the scene.

Timothy Leroy Smith, 25, and James Michael Smith, 23, both of Fremont, were formally charged with resisting arrest, disturbing the peace, and two counts of battery against police.

Nine juveniles arrested in Workbench vandalism

DUBLIN — Nine Dublin youths ranging in age from nine to 12 years were arrested in connection with more than $1,000 damage in a vandalism attack on the Workbench House and Garden Center Feb. 22.

A Sheriff's Dept. spokesman said the youths were students at Nielsen School and most admitted complicity in the attack.

The Workbench at 7360 San Ramon Road sustained more than $1,000 damage by vandals who stuck knives in trees and merchandise boxes, threw Christmas flocking about and destroyed other property in the store Feb. 22.

The investigation and subsequent arrests were handled by Detective Sgt. David Bricknell and Deputy Larry Roten of the Sheriff's Dept.

$250 digital watch taken from high school locker

LIVERMORE — An Exeton brand digital watch worth $250 was stolen from a locker in the Livermore High School boys gym Tuesday.

Roger Lee Page, 15, of Wilton Road told police that he placed a combination lock on the locker before class, but returned to discover the watch missing.

There are no suspects.

$400 fuel injection stolen from bedroom

LIVERMORE — A fuel injection system for a small-block Chevrolet engine was stolen from Daniel Curtis Howe's North N Street home recently.

Howe told police the fuel injection system was stored in his bedroom. There were no signs of forced entry, police reported.

$400 charged to stolen credit card

PLEASANTON — Thieves stole a Bank of America card from Christa Smart's wallet and have charged nearly $400 to it, police said yesterday.

Smart, of Pomace Street in Pleasanton, told police she hadn't used the card in awhile but received five different charges on the card beginning Feb. 7.

Police are tracing the transactions hoping to find a suspect in the case.

Granada High student busted for pot at Amador High

PLEASANTON — A 14-year-old Granada High School student was arrested at Amador High School for possession of marijuana after the vice principal detained several students for smoking cigarettes on school grounds.

Vice Principal Roger Dabney told police he brought several youths into his office to reprimand them for smoking on campus. Upon searching the students, Dabney found three handrolled cigarettes in a cigarette pack on one youth.

The student, taking classes at both Amador and Granada, was released to his parents with a notice to appear in court.

— by Bill Cauble

Man sentenced for manslaughter

PLEASANTON — George Henry Turner, 45, of Pleasanton, was sentenced to six months in county jail and five years probation after pleading guilty to vehicular manslaughter.

Turner was charged with drunk driving and manslaughter after an 18 - year - old waitress died in a head-on collison nearly one year ago. Paula Howell was dead at the scene after Turner's pick-up truck hit Howell's car on Valley Avenue.

The district attorney dropped the drunk driving charge after Turner pleaded guilty to the single charge of manslaughter.

Valley Obituary

Minnie Northcutt

Minnie Lee Northcutt, a valley resident for five years, died yesterday in a local hospital. She was 89.

A Mississippi native, she was a member of the Oak Avenue Baptist Church in Ada, Okla. She is survived by her children, Emily Chambers of Pleasanton, Ruby Butts of Torrence, Almer Geer of Torrence, and William A. Northcutt of Albuquerque, N.M. Mrs. Northcutt leaves 14 grandchildren, 22 great - grandchildren and nine great - great - grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held Monday, March 8 at the Criswell Funeral Home in Ada. Interment will follow in Memorial Park Cemetary there.

Friends may call at the Graham-Hitch Mortuary, 675 St. John St. in Pleasanton tonight from 6-9 p.m.

Card of Thanks

The kindness and sympathy of neighbors and friends in our recent sorrow will always remain with us a precious memory. Our sincere thanks and gratitude for all those comforting acts.

The Anthony Anton Family

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Fairytale try-outs

Future fairytale characters? Ingo Neumann, 9, of Livermore, Parish Anbrose, 10, of Pleasanton, Anna Lee Vitz, 9, of Hayward and Leann Mulligan, 9, of Livermore are finalists in the competition to find new talent for Children's Fairyland in Oakland Winners of the March 13 finals will become Pinocchio and Little Red Riding Hood, while others will be considered for others of the 50 Fairyland roles. The youngsters won the Feb. 29 semifinals held at Liberty House department store, Dublin.

(Photo courtesy Fairyland)

From county counsel

No aid to SRVUSD

SAN RAMON — School district board members learned Monday they will not be able to count on the county counsel's office for assistance in any litigation or proceedings before the Educational Employment Relations Board.

The latter is the three - person board appointed by Gov. Edmund G. Brown, Jr. to handle any disputes arising from contract talks between administration and employee bargaining representatives in all California school districts.

The Contra Costa County counsel's stand means that any impasse in bargaining this spring would have to be handled by legal personnel hired by the district and teacher representatives.

An election is scheduled to decide what group will represent teachers in the district. The two primary organizations in the San Ramon district are the San Ramon Federation of Teachers (AFT) and California Teachers Association (CTA) chapter.

The board also acted on administrative assignments for 1976-77. Five administrators have been assigned to the Education Center in Danville. They include James Smith, assistant superintendent for instruction; Bill Crozier, director of personnel; James Solberg, director of secondary education; Michael Halloran, director of pupil services, and Ernest Lynch, supervisor for vocational education and summer school.

The list of principal assignments for district high schools and schools in the southern section is as follows; Earl Berger, California High; James Henderson, San Ramon High; Sam Zackheim, Monte Vista High; Harold Davis, Del Amigo High; Howard Nemir, Neil Armstrong School; Bonnie Hutchins, Walt Disney School; Clarence Hockett, Country Club School; Dorothy Trantina, Greenbrook; Don Irvine, Los Cerros.

Assigned as high school administrators at California High are Barbara O'Rand, Robert Wilk, Phillip White, Robert Giannini and Elaine McClellan.

In other developments, smoking areas on campus will be given a trial period in the San Ramon district.

But don't light-up yet!

In a 3-2 vote, district trustees gave approval for the trial period.

The implementation date, however, will depend on plans to be formulated by each school. It will be the responsibility of each school to form a committee of students, parents, and administrators, to work out where the area is to be located, how the rules for procedure will be applied, and when permissible on-campus smoking is to begin.

The only change in the proposed procedure was made by trustee Ed Best who requested the areas be designated as "outside" smoking areas. This was approved by the board.

"The swing in our society is towards the rights of the non-smoker," claimed District Director of Pupil Services Mike Halloran, adding that his recommendation to approve a smoking area did not mean a condoning of smoking.

Board chairman Virginia Jouris added that "We are unanimously convinced that smoking is undesirable."

Trustee Harold Zuckerman had prefaced the meeting with a request to the board to formulate a statement to the community on this subject. "I would like the board members to take a stand and let the retailers in this community know this feeling." Selling either liquor or tobacco to minors is illegal, and Zuckerman was asking the retailers of the community to assume more responsibility in compliance with this law. "It may be good business to sell," he said, "but it isn't good community, and I am against it." The trustee had singled out this point as the crux of the problem and later speakers complimented him for this stand.

Results of a smoking survey were read by student representatives Bruce Rappoport, showing that smokers at Monte Vista constitute 21 per cent of the student body, 22 per cent at San Ramon High, and 78 per cent at Del Amigo.

The board later voted for the area, with trustees Zuckerman and Joe DeHope bringing in the "no" votes.

In other business, controversy developed around the plans for this year's graduation ceremony.

James Henderson, principal of San Ramon High, told the board of problems encountered last year during the graduation ceremonies.

"A lack of decorum has existed in the past," he said, adding that "a circus atmosphere" had prevailed. "People who have nothing else to do end up there."

Superintendent Allen Petersdorf noted that "last year I had a lot of calls from parents who were very unhappy about what went on there."

Dean of Students Judy Peterson told the board a majority of the students had voted to have this year's ceremony at the Concord Pavilion, which brought protests from some members of the community.

One parent, Phillip Coney, said "I am astounded you would come up with such grand ideas for such a commercial place." He added that to move the ceremony to another educational facility would be more in keeping with the event, saying use of the Concord Pavilion for a graduation ceremony was inappropriate.

Henderson and Petersdorf both agreed to reexamine the decision and take another poll of the students and parents, after a more thorough and factual presentation is made available to them.

No VMH rule change likely

LIVERMORE — The election of James Nissen and Eric Wente to the Valley Memorial Hospital Board of Directors may have been "a message from the VMH Association," but it seems unlikely their presence on the board will force a change in policy.

The VMH Board of Directors is composed of nine members, each serving a three year term.

Nissen and Wente join Emily Schwarz as VMH directors who were elected to the board without being nominated by the VMH board nominating committee.

Schwarz was elected last year. Like Nissen and Wente this year, she did not flatly oppose the proposed second major hospital in Pleasanton. But all three took a campaign stand that the decision to build a second facility deserved a closer scrutiny.

New VMH board president Ted Fairfield called the election of Wente and Nissen "a message from the Association that we respect."

Fairfield said the board had "no pride of authorship about its plans" for the second facility. Good plans, he noted, can stand the test of close examination.

And even were Wente and Nissen to announce unilateral opposition to the Pleasanton hospital — which is not anticipated — it is unlikely they could force a change upon the majority of the VMH board.

Except for two directors, it is still the same board that in mid - January defended its decision to go ahead with plans for the Pleasanton hospital.

In a policy statement unanimously approved by the board, the directors claimed if VMH did not build a hospital in the west end of the valley, another organization would.

"The result would be a lack of coordination between two hospitals, with different management, less effective delivery of medical care, serious financial injury to the present hospital, and reduction in services it could provide," the directors declared.

Fairfield has assumed leadership of the VMH board, and he has been firmly in favor of the second facility.

First elected to a Pleasanton seat on the board in 1970, Fairfield was reelected in 1975.

He was chairman of the building committee in 1975 — the year VMH acquired the 23 - acre hospital site in Pleasanton.

Joseph Sladky was elected vice - chairman of the board.

He has held a Livermore seat on the board since 1971, and that seat comes up for reelection next year.

Sladky was building committee chairman in January 1974 when the board decided to purchase the Pleasanton property.

Dagmar Fulton, retiring as board chairman, was named secretary - treasurer of the board.

She has served 14 years on the VMH board and was secretary of the original VMH committee.

Fulton has been an outspoken supporter of the second facility. She has maintained that the Livermore hospital is not the exclusive property of Livermore residents, noting it was paid for and developed by citizens throughout the valley.

Born and raised in Pleasanton, Fulton holds a Pleasanton seat on the board. She was reelected for another three year term in February.

Jack Bras holds a Pleasanton seat on the board. First elected in 1968, he comes up for reelection next year.

Bras served as VMH board chairman in 1974.

James Merritt was elected to an at - large seat on the board in 1970. His seat comes up for reelection next year.

A Pleasanton rancher, Merritt served as board chairman in 1972 - 1973.

Arthur Hudgins was elected to a Livermore seat in 1975.

Assistant to the Director of Lawrence Livermore Laboratory, Hudgins is a former chairman and member of the Livermore Library Board.

Emily Schwarz was elected to an at - large seat on the board in 1975, and won without the benefit of VMH board nominating committee endorsement.

She served as secretary-treasurer of the board last year.

Newcomers Wente and Nissen took their seats on the board in February.

Nissen holds an at - large seat on the board. His family was a large contributor to the original hospital.

Wente, also from a prominent Livermore family, holds a Livermore seat.

At 24 he is the youngest member to serve on the VMH board.

Chamber views joint report

LIVERMORE — A special 8 a.m. meeting to discuss the report issued by the Joint City Council - Chamber of Commerce Business License Tax Review Committee will be held by the Chamber Thursday at its office, 1723 Barcelona St.

Anyone interested in attdnding is welcome and copies of the report are available for review only at the Chamber office.



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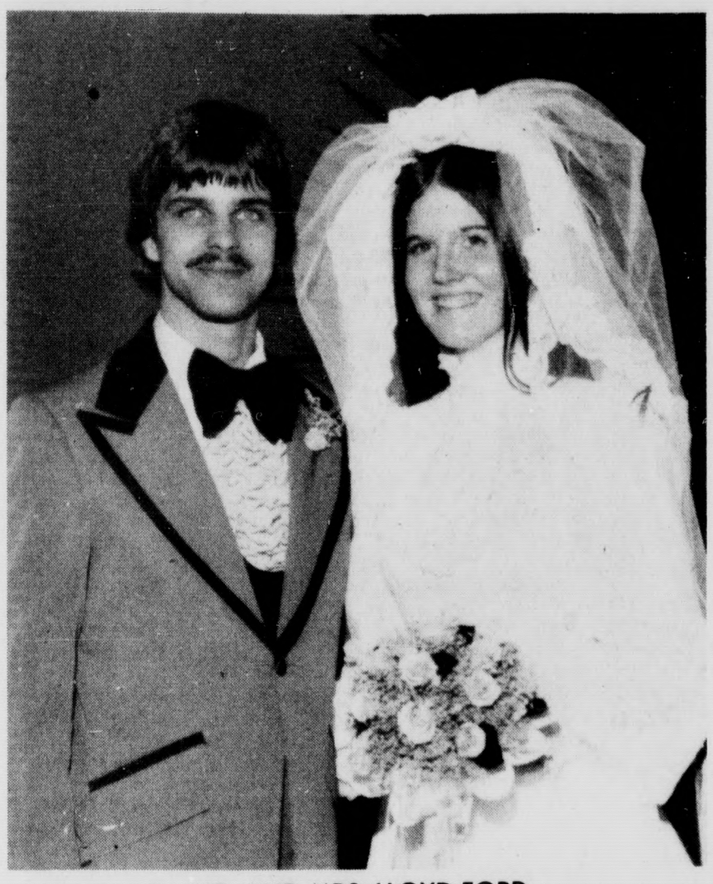
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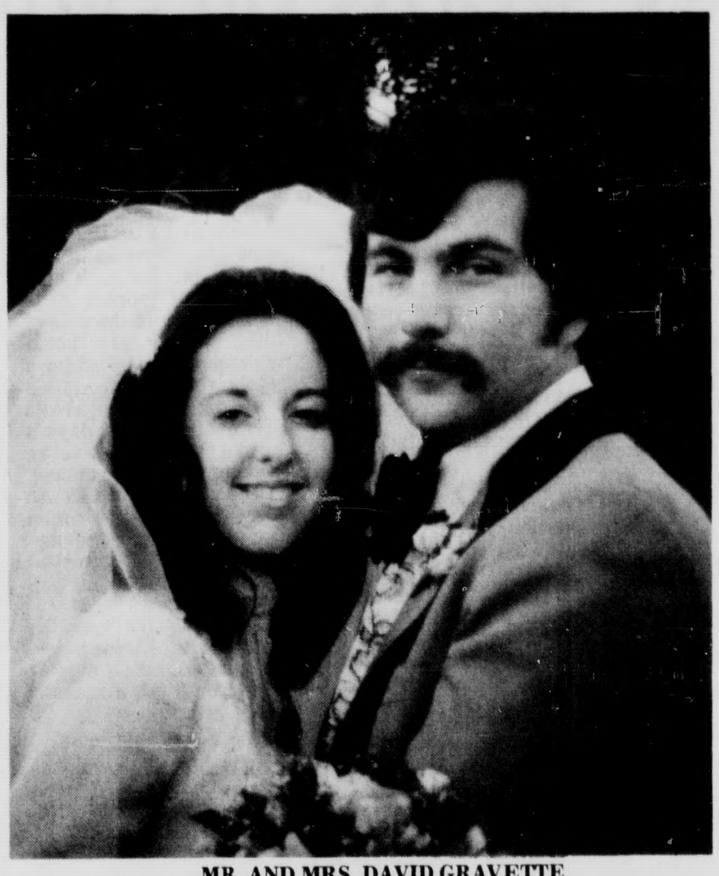
Curry — Ford

Joined in marriage at the Oakland Temple, Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, the new Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd E. Ford, will make their first home in Burnaby, British Columbia, Canada.

The wedding was witnessed by Maid of Honor Carolyn Sears and Best Man Gerald Perkins.

The bride is the former Dawn Marie Curry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald E. Curry of Pleasanton. A 1974 graduate of Amador Valley High School, she also attended Chabot College and Brigham Young University.

Lloyd is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter P. Ford of Coquitlan, B.C., Canada. He is a graduate of Centenial High School, and B.C.I.T. in Vancouver, British Columbia. His present employment is also in Vancouver.



MR. AND MRS. DAVID GRAVETTE
(Robert Thomas Photography)

Strait — Gravette

The First Presbyterian Church in Livermore was the setting for the January wedding of Linda Marie Strait and David Iven Gravette of Pleasanton, with the Rev. William Nebo officiating.

The ceremony was witnessed by Matron of Honor Mrs. Valara A. Davison and Bridesmaids Patricia Miller, Debbie Reeve and Chantel Davison. Best man was James Pasut with William Caudle, David Fulendorf and Brian Pasut acting as ushers.

The newlyweds were toasted at a reception in the Eagles Hall in Livermore after the ceremony and before departing on a Los Angeles honeymoon.

Linda is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Strait of Pleasanton and a 1973 graduate of Amador Valley High School. She is presently employed with D. and L. Trucking.

David is the son of Cletus Gravette of Livermore and Mrs. Dorothy Best of Gardnerville, Nevada. He is a 1972 graduate of Livermore High School and is self-employed with the D.I.G. Trucking firm. The young newlyweds plan to make their first home in Pleasanton.

Haws — Brawner

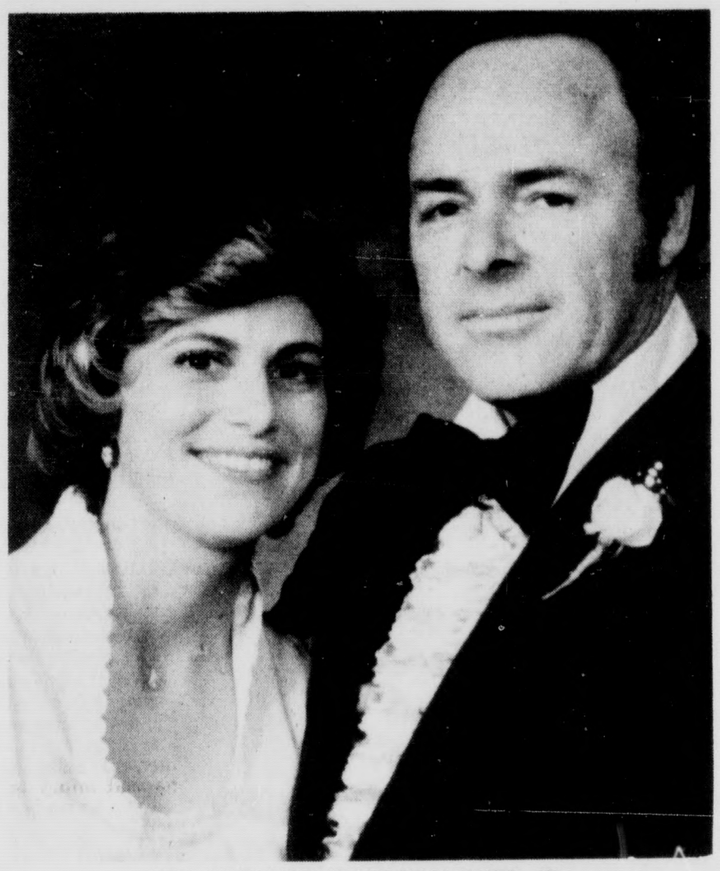
Valentine's Day 1976, will always be a memorable day for Toni L. Haws and Dan W. Brawner, Jr., for Feb. 14 was the day they chose for their wedding at Asbury Methodist Church in Livermore before the Rev. Milton Sluder-Jordon.

Mrs. Michael Lindsay witnessed the ceremony as matron of honor with Mr. Anthony Mitsingas as best man. Kimberly Haws attended her sister as flower girl and Danny K. Brawner acted as usher.

The couple was honored at a dinner reception at the Tailwinds Restaurant in Livermore. Following a honeymoon to Southern California and Mexico, the newlyweds plan to make their first home at 675 Alameda Dr., Livermore.

Toni is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank R. Hall of Placerville, Calif. She attended Chabot College and is currently employed at the Lawrence Livermore Laboratory.

Dan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel W. Brawner, Sr., are both deceased. Dan served in the U.S. Army honorably discharged as Sergeant, and is presently employed with Frank's T.V. in Pleasanton.



MR. AND MRS. DAN BRAWNER, JR.
(Kenneth Way Photography)

Newnam — Beha

The new Mr. and Mrs. Paul Howard Beha will wait until their June vacation from Bill's Portable Wash, Inc., where they are both employed, before departing on a honeymoon. Their December wedding was presided over by the Rev. Edward McCarty of the Community Bible Church in Livermore, scene of their marriage.

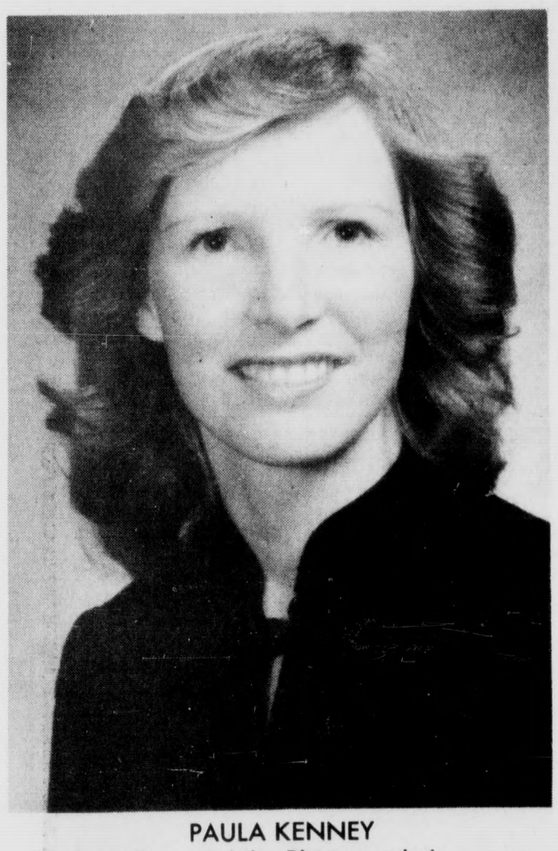
Matron of honor was Toni Coil with Valerie Waller and Barbara Ware acting as bridesmaids. Flavio Lopez was best man while Joe Coil and Niel Graff ushered. The Rev. McCarty's children, Roseanne and Kenny, served as candle lighters.

Sandra is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy R. Newnam of Pleasanton, who honored the newleyweds with a reception at Howard Johnson's in Dublin. She is a 1974 graduate of Amador Valley High School.

Paul, a 1972 graduate of Granada High in Livermore, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Beha. He also attended Chabot College. The young couple is making their first home at 620 Caliente Ave. in Livermore.



MR. AND MRS. PAUL BEHA
(Robert Thomas Photography)



PAULA KENNEY
(Steve Rubilio Photography)

Kenney — Hewiston

Mr. and Mrs J. Paul Kenney of Westwood, Mass. announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Paula Kenney, an elementary school teacher at the Hebrew Academy of San Francisco, to Louis F. Hewiston, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis R. Hewiston of Pleasanton.

Mr. Hewiston, a 1967 graduate of University of the Pacific, holds a commission as Lieutenant in the U.S. Naval Reserve. He is a co-owner of Thompson's Cedarwood Pharmacy in Pleasanton.

Paula, a 1968 graduate of Boston State College, has set April 9 as the date of her marriage in St. Denis Church, at Westwoood, Mass.

Fowler — Pings

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Francis Fowler of Pleasanton announce the engagement of their daughter, Sharon Lee Fowler, to Anthony C. Pings, son of Mr. and Mrs. C.H. Joe Pings of Fresno, Calif.

Sharon, a 1970 graduate of Amador Valley High School, will graduate in June from California State Polytechnic University, San Luis Obispo, with a B.S. in Mechanical Engineering. She will be the first female mechanical engineer to graduate from Cal Poly. She is also the secretary for Tau Beta Pi, national engineering honor society.

Anthony is a 1972 graduate of Fresno City College and will also graduate from California State Polytechnic University in June with a bachelor of arts degree in Architecture.



SHARON FOWLER AND ANTHONY PINGS

lifestyle

Mayhew — Simpson

A cocktail-buffet dinner party on the day for sweethearts, Feb. 14, was the occasion of the engagement announcement of Holly Mayhew, daughter of Col. (Ret.) and Mrs. Donald P. Mayhew, to William Gordon Simpson, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Simpson of Bambridge Island, Wash.

Holly, an Amador High School graduate, is presently a senior at St. Mary's College in Moraga, after having attended the University of Neuchatel in Switzerland for one and a half years.

William, a 1973 graduate of Brigham Young University, is currently employed in management at Associated Foods.

The wedding date has been set for May 23, 1976.

Babysitter clinic set in Pleasanton

The annual babysitting clinic sponsored annually by the Pleasanton Junior Women's Club is set for two consecutive Saturdays, March 6 and March 13 from 10:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Kinderkirk Educational Building, 4300 Mirador Dr., Pleasanton.

The classes offered are open to both boys and girls between the ages of 12 and 16. Purpose of the clinic is to instruct babysitters in safety and emergency child care.

Guest speakers include representatives of the Pleasanton Fire Department, the Pleasanton Police Department and a registered nurse. Upon completion of the course and a regulation test, a Red Cross certificate will be awarded to participants.

For more information contact Sylvia Grissom at 846-6430 or Cheryl Hayes at 846-3523 Sign-ups for the clinic will be limited.

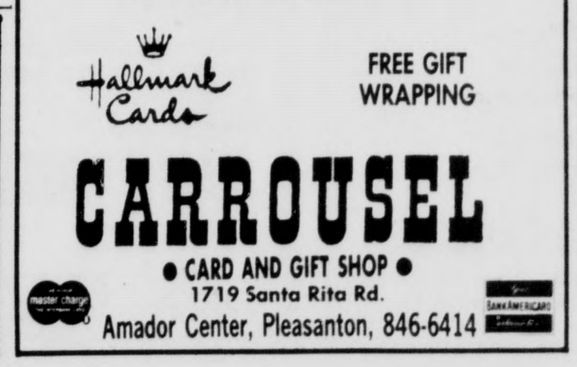
Women Voters discuss social services today

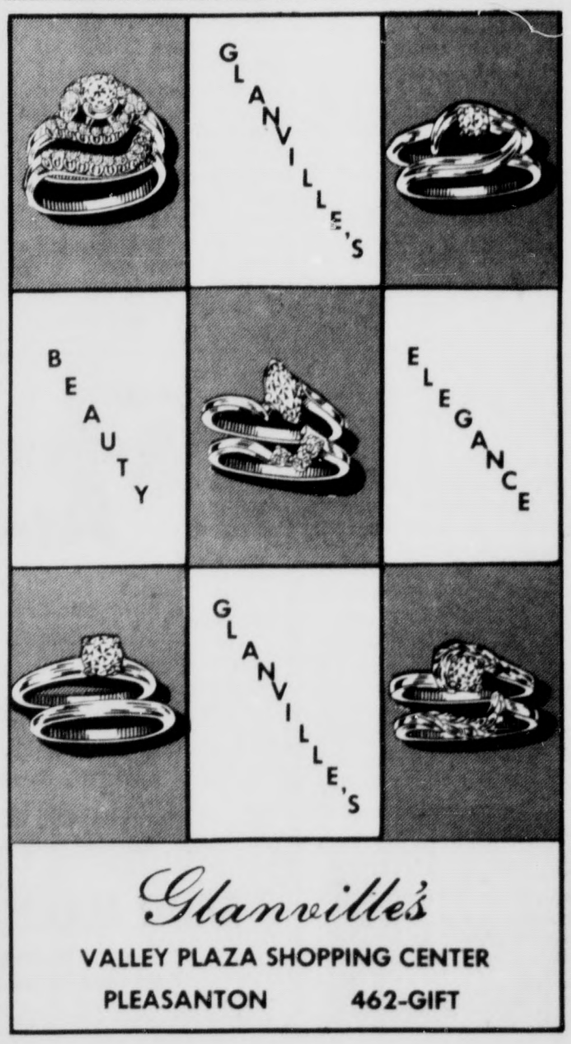
Social services in the valley will be the topic of a study session of the League of Women Voters today from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m.

The public is invited to the session at 4343 Addison Way, Pleasanton. Babysitting arrangements may be made through Marian Finger at 447-9345.

The league will discuss information referral systems, county involvement in social concerns, social committees in Livermore and Pleasanton, and the role of the new multi-service building.







Do-it-yourself divorces

Attorney warns on pitfalls

Watch out for do - it - yourself divorces!

That's the message from Betty J. Browner, a Hayward attorney who spoke before a packed Parents Without Partners gathering Wednesday night in the Livermore Library.

"Do-it-yourself divorces are OK, IF it's been a short marriage, minimal property, no home, no children," the experienced lawyer said.

"Otherwise — it's foolish for many reasons."

She didn't have to go into detail, because two members of the audience had their own tales of woe. One had been done out of a fair child-support settlement, another had concealed his military pension from his wife.

It wasn't many years ago that Betty Browner herself was a divorcee with three children to support. She went back to school, got her degree and has handled between 800 and 900 domestic cases since she opened her practice.

With a personality as vivid as her kelly-green suit, the young-looking lawyer startled her audience when she revealed she's a grandmother. "Just to show you anybody can do it," she said of her late-blooming career.

Some of the free advice she had for the group:

DO-IT-YOURSELF: The best idea is to go to a lawyer; then if anything has been concealed or overlooked you can sue him for malpractice instead of being stuck with the results you drew up yourself. In a recent decision, a woman won $100,000 in a malpractice suit because her lawyer forgot to mention her ex-husband's pension plan in the divorce settlement.

Nobody except a lawyer is allowed to give you legal advice. Anyone helping you draw up divorce papers is allowed only to write down what you decide on.

The result of two people trying to work a settlement between themselves can sometimes be, "the weaker wins out over the stronger," Browner warned. People's emotions get in the way and later they may be sorry for what they agreed to.

CUSTODY: Fathers are increasingly being given custody if they can make a good case for serving their children's "best interests." Stability is usually the biggest factor. Children are frequently interviewed in their homes and teenagers are usually allowed to decide for themselves where they will live because "the courts don't want to create incorrigibles."

VISITATION RIGHTS: "The courts don't like to spell out visitation rights. Both parents have the right to reasonable, liberal visitation."

Browner added the courts "won't tolerate visitation abuses" and don't like to see the children "victimized" by being used as a weapon between their parents. The court can take the children away from a parent who abuses the other parent's rights.

SUPPORT: Alameda County courts have a schedule based on the husband's net earnings per month and the number of children involved. It starts at $50 per child per month for low-income fathers and averages about $75 per child for those in the middle brackets. Contra Costa County courts don't use a schedule. Alameda County does not take into consideration debts incurred by the husband and wife, which after the divorce will probably be paid off by the husband.

NON- SUPPORT: A husband can spend up to five days in jail for each nonpayment of support up to 12 months from the date of filing. That means that a man who hasn't paid for a whole year can be jailed for 60 days if his payments are monthly or 260 days if he was supposed to be making weekly payments!

To collect, the woman must prove that the man had knowledge of the support order, was employed and willfully did not pay the support.

If a man is in arrears, he will have to continue paying past the cutoff date of age 18 until the arrears is paid off.

CONCEALMENT: If a woman takes the children away, the man is forgiven child support payments while his children are inaccessible to him.

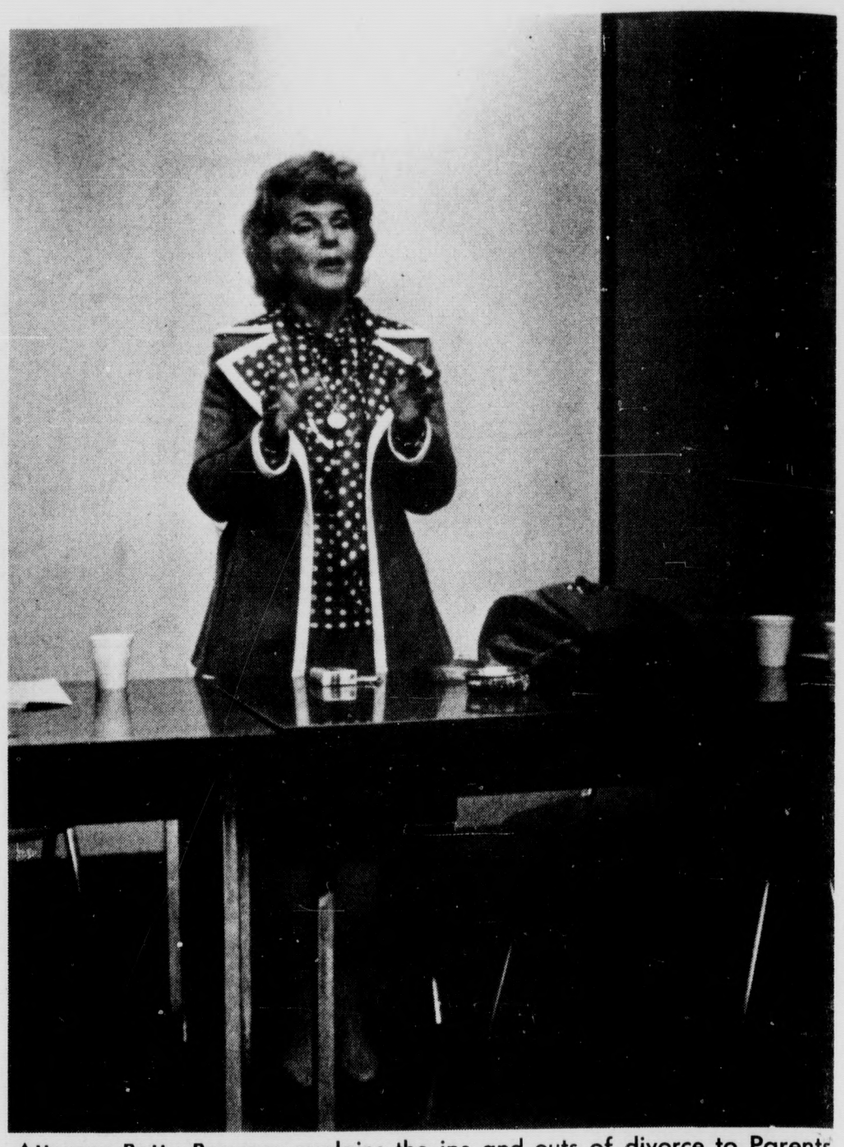
INSURANCE: The spouse should try to be declared "irrevocable beneficiary" for life insurance, and the insurance company must be notified.

PENSIONS: Half retirement and pension plans go to the wife of many years, but not to a wife of a brief marriage.

HOUSES: Property should be re-deeded, changedfrom joint tenancy with right of survivorship (which means that if you die, the house goes to your ex instead of your kids) to tenants in common (which means that you can designate who gets your half when you die.)

CHANGES IN SUPPORT: The $50 or $75 it costs to get an attorney to put through a "stipulation" is worth it in protection for the one who is paying child support or alimony, according to Browner. If circumstances change and you agree to let your husband pay $25 less a month in child support because he's out of work, you can turn around and collect that money later unless there's a court order modifying the support order. Verbal or written agreements between the ex-spouses are not enough.

— by Pat Kennedy



Attorney Betty Browner explains the ins and outs of divorce to Parents Without Partners.

Mori proposes new tax split

Assemblyman Floyd Mori's proposed bill to redistribute some of the sales tax from regional shopping centers would be applied to more than just the "Southland - Sun Valley" type of regional center, The Times learned yesterday.

Mori is drafting a bill to split the increasing revenues from sales taxes in big commercial centers between the city where the sales occur and the other cities in the county. The bill's language uses the phrase "regional shopping center" and partisans of the future regional center in Pleasanton thought that Mori is singling out cities with specially developed regional shopping centers of the Sun Valley - Southland type.

Mori told The Times yesterday he has a much broader definition of regional center in mind. "Regional center" includes the entire county, said Mori.

Here is how Mori's bill would work: first, a baseline year, probably 1977 or 1978, would be established. Sales tax revenues would be toted up for that baseline year. Let's use the hypothetical example of Pleasanton.

Suppose Pleasanton enjoys $1 million in sales tax revenue in the baseline year. The following year, if Pleasanton's sales tax revenues climbed to $1.5 million, Pleasanton still would have the base year $1 million in sales tax revenues. The city would be entitled to keep half of the $500,000 over the baseline year's $1 million.

The other half — $250,000 — would go into the county - wide fund with money from the other cities and the county (representing revenues from unincorporated areas like Castro Valley and Dublin).

The county - wide fund would be divided on a per capita basis between the 13 cities and the county. In effect, it is an effort at equalizing sales tax revenues between the large commercial centers and the bedroom communities.

Mori emphasized that big commercial centers definitely need to provide municipal services to their commercial centers and that is justification for allowing those communities to keep half of their sales tax increases. He added that regional center cities also would get some of their own money back from the county - wide pot.

Mori could give no estimates of how much a particular city in Alameda County would gain or lose. His office is putting together figures on it now, but it is difficult to predict just what the increases will be, he said. He predicted the amounts "won't be that earth - shattering".

Mori realizes that his proposal, if enacted into law, will change the picture for his hometown of Pleasanton, assuming that Stoneson proceeds with plans to construct its regional center.

But just because Pleasanton may pick up a new regional center is no reason to avoid correction of an existing inequity, said Mori. He recalled that when he ran for the Pleasanton City Council in 1972 he was concerned about such tax inequities. For example, Hayward had big revenues from its high volume of new and used automobile sales, but many people who paid their sales tax there lived in cities like Pleasanton and Livermore. Mori's bill is the opportunity to correct that inequity, he said.

— by Ron McNicoll

PTA schedules sports night

PLEASANTON— The Pleasanton Middle School PTA is presenting a Sports Night on Wednesday, March 10 at 7:30 p.m. in the school multi - purpose room.

Alan Silver of the California Parachute Club in Livermore will be guest speaker. He will present a film on the sport of skydiving, as well as a demonstration of the equipment involved in the sport.

There will also be a drawing for door prizes donated by the Oakland A's, San Jose Earthquakes, Oakland Raiders and local sports shops.

Tickets are 50 cents per adult and 25 cents per child available at the door.

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Junction School honorees

Junction Intermediate School students being honored this quarter for their good citizenship and leadership include: (kneeling, from left): Lois Brooks, Barbara Bronzan, Sean Bell, Randy Kahn, Dan Pesik, Tony Bridgers, David Suchon, Oscar Flores, Scott Randall, Danny Colon and principal Dennis Hill. Standing, first row: Rommel Fermin, Belinda Belena, Gloria Banuelos, Karen Burris, Rita Skidmore, Julie Murphy, Rachael Howard, Shelly Goularte, Steve Coeville, Jerry Mendez, Greg Paxiao and Gina Custodia. Back row: Gena Flanigan, Tracy Brush, John VanLehn, Aaron Benedetti, Terry Tennyson, George Johnston, Steve Lopez, Ron Shepherd and Marc Stewart. (Photo courtesy Linda Huggins)

Gem show highlights fairgrounds' activity

The annual mineral and gem show is slated this Saturday and Sunday at the Fairgrounds in Pleasanton to leadoff a fairly active month of activities on the grounds.

Sponsored by the Castro Valley Mineral and Gem Society, the show is an all - day affair both days.

On Saturday, March 13, the annual March of Dimes Walk - a - thon will begin and end at the Fairgrounds.

Several shows and auctions are planned this month includinf a horse auction on Sunday, March 21 sponsored by California Auction Sales, a County 4-H Guide Dogs show on Sunday, March 14, and 4-H Club rabbit field day and poultry shows on March 27 and 28, respectively.

Several auto crosses are scheduled, starting with the Sports Car Club of America autocross on Saturday, March 13 The Triumph Travelers meet on Sunday, March 14 and the Continental Sports Car Club on Sunday, March 21.

An All - Seasons Trailer Club meeting is set for March 27 and 28.

The Voice of the Valley Club will present games and a dance on March 20 the same night as the Livermore Rotary Club's "Reno Night."

The Tri-Valley Royalaires Drum and Bugle Corps have practices slated for March 14, 21 and 28.

Six candidates for board seat

PLEASANTON — Ed Alves, Deonne Thomas Burdusis, John Fraga, Vic Lund, Jr., Gladys LaPlante and Charlotte Pruett are the candidates being considered for the pending vacancy on the housing authority board.

The city council will interview the candidates before determining who will succeed Commissioner Elizabeth Hall, who is retiring from the housing authority board.

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Livermore school staff set for summer bonus

LIVERMORE — Livermore Unified School District employes will be getting a check of $50 or $100 to start off their summer vacations this year.

The bonus comes from a Tuesday night school board decision to grant the district's 1,000 employes six - tenths of one percent additional raise on top of the 6 per cent hike they got this year. Instead of figuring the raise into paychecks, the district will give it to employes in a lump sum in June.

The second raise comes because a fact - finding committee last fall suggested the district should re-assess its financial standing at midyear. Teachers had complained that the school board leans to the pessimistic side in figuring the district's projected income, and when more money comes in than expected uses the surplus goes for operating expenses instead of salaries.

In addition to the total 6.6 per cent raise, the district is paying almost 1 per cent more this year to maintain the current health and insurance benefits.

Besides the cost - of - living raise, most district employes also advanced on the salary scale because of their years of experience with the district or additional college credits they have earned.

LLL staffer to serve as metric unit aide

LIVERMORE — Jack W. Pearson, metric project officer for Lawrence Livermore Laboratory, has agreed to serve as a member of the National Bureau of Standards' speakers bureau on metric information.

The speakers bureau was set up to furnish all types of groups with information on the growing use of metric weights and measures in the United States.

Any group intrested in a metric persentation should contact Pearson directly at P.O. Box 808, L - 140, Livermore.

More than 175 educators, weights and measures officials, and other knowledgeable persons in 48 states have agreed to speak and act as resources for metric information in their regions.

Each speaker receives detailed background information and a set of slides from the National Bureau of Standards, an agency of the U.S Department of Commerce.

Pearson is author of the "Livermore Plan," a guide to managing the transition to metric.

Sandia honors twelve employes

LIVERMORE — Sandia Laboratories honored twelve employes last month in recognition of their service in the Energy Research and Development program.

Those receiving 25 - year service emblems were Walter Henderson of Livermore and Walter Dzugan of Danville.

Fifteen - year awards were presented to Jack Casey, Leonard Dighton, Robert Gaeddert, Seymour Mayer, Donald Swanson, Duncan Tanner, Alec Willis, Leonard Hiles, all of Livermore; and Tadao Hisaoka of Fremont and Ken Urabe of El Cerrito.

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Behind the scenes

What goes on in the kitchen of a fine continental restaurant? The Times visited Marchand's Restaurant at 2025 Santa Rita Road in Pleasanton and talked to Chef Bob Reynolds to answer that question. Above, Reynolds gives a flaming performance as he prepares his superb veal classic, Veal Scaloppini di Vitello ala Marsala. Below left, he shows off the trussed ducklings before placing them in the oven — which a lucky customer enjoyed as Canard aux Pruneax. Bob's indispensible assistant, Jack Barker is shown below right, specially cutting beef filets for Tournedos. The new restaurant is open Wednesday through Sunday for fine dining enjoyment.







Recipe contest soon!

Home entertainment starts with the family gathered around the dinner table, as the tantalizing aroma of one of Mom's favorite dishes that she spent hours preparing from one of her secret recipes surrounds the kitchen.

Only once a year, and only in the Valley / Pleasanton Times, can the lady of the house enter that specialty in the "Favorite Recipes Contest." This year The Times will publish the winners and their recipes in a special tabloid section on March 18, dedicated to the mainstay of the family — Mom!

Prizes will be awarded to the best recipes in each of eight categories, with a grand prize of a $50 gift certificate. First prize in each category is a $20 gift certificate and second prize is a $10 gift certificate.

This year's categories are:

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Smorga Bob's features specials

LIVERMORE — Smorga Bob's prides itself on a large menu. Tonight, the main dish is sirloin steak, backed up by corned beef and cabbage, barbecued ribs, beef enchiladas, pepper steak, tempura shrimp and crab cioppino.

Every night with each paid meal are free desserts, coffee and soft drinks. And for both lunch and dinner, there is the well-stocked salad bar.

For the last year the Sunday brunch has become extremely popular with many customers who want to get out of the house on Sunday morning. The brunch is served from 9 a.m. until noon. Children aged one to four years are served free; children five to eight are charged $1.25; and kids nine to 12 served for $1.75. The choice of beverages is varied, including dietetic drinks for the weight watcher.

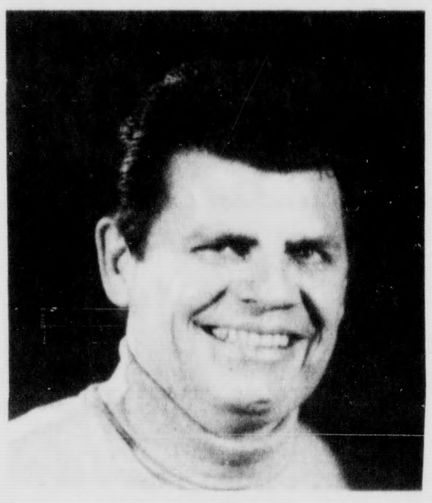
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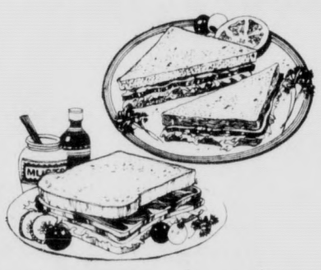
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Zany comedy blasts off Friday night





DON'T DRINK THE WATER
Axel Magee pursues Sharon Hollander in a romantic chase OVER the couch (left), and in a final scene Walter Hollander runs afoul of foreign political intrigues (above) and the outcome is a real blast...!

You've fulfilled a lifelong desire to vacation in Europe, the months of planning have culminated in a beautiful flight and you're all set for a great time when all sorts of commissars and authoritarian types descend on you.

Then the fun begins!

Now take a dozen or so ambitious and talented Pleasanton Playhouse performers, mix well with the weird comedic mind of Woody Allen, sprinkle strongly with Cliff Beyer's imaginative directing and you have "Don't Drink The Water," opening tomorrow night at Sunol Valley Country Club.

The laughs and good times begin at 8:30 p.m.

The Playhouse cast is an exhilirating blend of veteran performers and exuberant young talent.

Playing lead roles are Virginia Gregory as Marian Hollander, Larry Kaher as Walter Hollander, Gil Stratton as Father Drobney, and Carol Wolfgram as Susan Hollander.

Other prominent roles are taken by Nick DiScala (Axel Magee), Pat Jones (Kasnar), Karen Coffan (Countess Bordoni), Bruce Pruett (Krojack), George Russell (Sultan of Bashir), Dee Dee Kruse (Sultan's wife) and Terri Avery (Ms. Kilroy).

The production at Sunol marks the first time the Playhouse has attempted a play outside of the traditional proscenium setting as characterized by stages at Amador Valley High, the Fairgrounds Amphitheatre and the Veterans Memorial Building in Pleasanton.

Play-goers will be able to have dinner at the Country Club before moving into the show room for the 8:30 performance.

Tickets include only admission to the show and are available now at the Pleasanton Recreation Department on Bernal Avenue and Pleasanton Chamber of Commerce on Neal Avenue. Tickets may also be purchased at the door and are $3 for adults and $2 for students, senior citizens and groups of 20 or more.

Information on ticket reservations may be had by calling 846-3202, ext. 215.

After tomorrow's premiere, the production may be seen again this Saturday and next weekend on Friday and Saturday.

inside the arts



ALMOST ANGELS
One of the world's most beloved choirs, the Vienna Choir Boys, will present a concert of sacred music, folk songs and a costume operetta at the Amador High School Auditorium in Pleasanton March 15.

Vienna Choir Boys to appear at Pleasanton

The world-famous Vienna Choir Boys will be heard in concert at the Amador High School Auditorium in Pleasanton March 15 under the sponsorship of the Chabot College Performing Arts Series.

Since seating is limited, patrons are urged to get their tickets early. All seats are $2.50 and are now available in advance from the Pleasanton Recreation Department at 846-3202, or the Odyssey Box Office in Livermore at 443-2155.

One of the outstanding musical attractions of one of the world's most musical cities, the choir has been a prominent feature in Vienna since 1498 when it was established by the Hapsburg Emperor Maximilian.

Each year less than ten per cent of the applicants are admitted to the institution. Before admission, students receive two years of musical training.

Drawing demo at Dublin

Pat Mervin Edwards, a freelance illustrator and print-maker, will demonstrate figure drawing techniques at the March 9 meeting of The Valley Artists.

The meeting is set at 7:30 p.m. at Fredericksen Elementary School, Tamarach Dr., Dublin and is open to the public. Ms. Edwards will use live models for the demonstration and suggests that those attending bring paper and drawing pencils.

Ms. Edwards has been an instructor at the Civic Arts Center in Walnut Creek for ten years. A television series on drawing developed by Ms. Edwards was recently shown over Channel 6.

Bringing art into children's lives

LIVERMORE — The annual blossoming of children's pictures on the walls of businesses around town in April is a poignant reminder that there are no art teachers in Livermore elementary schools any more.

Some people have gotten used to the fact that Livermore's art program was a casualty of the 1968 financial collapse of the school district, and that it was never restored as promised.

Others are grateful for the many teachers who do art projects with their students, and volunteers who get special training so they can bring art into the classroom.

Then there are those who bridge the culture gap with private art lessons for their children — not necessarily because they think their offspring have transcendent talent, but because they want the moppets to enjoy this satisfying form of self - expression while gaining new appreciation for the world around them.

Livermore artist Dorothy Barlett, who helped to launch the April "Youth Art Month" observance years ago, offers a 1½-hour, five-week course for children aged 8-11.

"If they wait til they become adults to study art, they have already developed interests in other areas and have no time for art," she warns.

Her course covers color theory; how to relate geometric shapes to objects; how to draw people; perspective and art history.

"It's adapted for the child without damaging or inhibiting their respective talents and love of art," she says, hinting that purple owls and green-haired people are encouraged in this course.

A new five-week session is starting March 3; Ms. Barlett may be contacted at 447-1880 for further details.

Nightclub

"The Second Collection," Pleasanton's Christian recording group will entertain at The King's Light Club Friday, March 5 at the Howard Johnson Motor Lodge in Dublin.

The King's Light Club is billed as a Christian "nightclub" with musical entertainment, testimonies, Scripture-sharing and refreshments.

The public is welcome to the 8 p.m. event.



YOUTH ART MONTH COMING
Jennifer Fazio and Karrie McCloskey prepare displays for Youth Art Month in April under the tutelage of artist Dorothy Barlett.

Front Row

By AL FISCHER

The "Sol Hurok of the valley" is stoking the promotional fires once again!

Hurok, alias Bob Holland at Amador Valley High School, will present another program on Unidentified Flying Objects (UFOs) Thursday, March 18 and follow that with "the entertaining psychic" — Gil Eagles — on Monday, March 29.

Holland's programs never fail to attract the younger set but it's really the over 30s that he's hoping to lure with the UFO program on the 18th in the Amador Valley High library. Speaker will be Hugh Barnes of Santa Rosa.

Barnes has gathered 250 hours of recordings involving UFOs, including 15 to 16 hours of recordings from individuals communicating through a Tensor Beam over interstellar distances.

I'm not sure what its all about but from the promo literature on hand, Barnes should be able to regale his audience with some pretty substantial data on UFO sightings and communications with extra-terrestrial beings.

Gil Eagles appeared at the Fairgrounds Amphitheatre last summer for several days and never failed to entertain the large audiences. He'll be at the Amador auditorium at 8 p.m. on the 29th. Tickets should go on sale in another week or so.

The program of the 18th starts at 7 and is open to the public free of charge.

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More on the nominees for Oscars, coming up on March 29 at the Dorothy Chandler Pavilion of the Los Angeles Music Center.

Nominated for best director honors were Milos Forman, One Flew Over The Cuckoo's Nest; Forman and Federico Fellini, Amarcord; Stanley Kubrick for Barry Lyndon; Sidney Lumet, Dog Day Afternoon, and Robert Altman for Nashville.

For best original screenplay: Amarcord, Fellini and Tonino Guerra; And Now My Love, Claude Lelouche and Pierre Uytterhoeven; Dog Day Afternoon, Frank Pierson; Lies My Father Told Me, Ted Allan; Shampoo, Robert Towne and Warren Beatty.

For costume design: Barry Lyndon, Ulla-Britt Soderlund and Milena Canonero; The Four Musketeers, Yvonne Blake and Ron Talsky; Funny Lady, Ray Aghayan and Bob Mackie; The Magic Flute, Karin Erskine; The Man Who Would Be King, Edith Head.

" ... and the winner is!"

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Don't be mislead by that promo for the stage play Raisin that's been appearing on local TV.

Aside from the opening number which resembles some sort of an African voodoo dance, the play is centered on a black family living in a ghetto.

Virginia Capers, who captured major awards for her portrayal on Broadway, is with the San Francisco cast.

The production runs through March 14 at the Orpheum and tis rumored there are tickets available.

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Not to be outdone by their slightly older peers, junior high age students at Pleasanton Middle School will put on "Bye, Bye Birdie" later this month.

Birdie is the vehicle that first brought Ann-Margret to prominence and it'll be interesting to see how 13 and 14-year olds can handle this parody of a famous rock'n roll singer.

Play dates are March 26, 27 and April 2 and 3.

MARQUEE — Light Up The Sky opens Friday at the Little Theater of Chabot College's Hayward campus. It continues Saturday and March 11, 12 and 13. Curtain time each night is 8:30....California High dramatists are now rehearsing Thornton Wilder's Our Town, scheduled for April 1-3 at the school's commodious theater on Broadmoor in San Ramon.

Television Listings

Thurs., Mar. 4

8:00 A.M.
5-10—Capt. Kangaroo
7-13—Good Morning America
9—Yoga with Lilias
40—Speed Racer

8:30 A.M.
2—Romper Room
9—Mister Rogers
40—Lassie

9:00 A.M.
2—Nanny and the Professor
3-4—Celebrity Sweepstakes
5—Playmates — Schoolmates
7—A.M. San Francisco
9—Sesame Street
10—At Nine on Ten
13—Truth or Consequences
40—Jack LaLanne

9:30 A.M.
2—That Girl
3-4—High Rollers
5—Kathryn Crosby Show
10—Price Is Right
13—Morning Scene
40—I Love Lucy

10:00 A.M.
2—Movies:
Mon: "The Big Cat"
Tues: "Man Hunt"
Wed: "Every Man A King"
Thurs: "Tammy and The Doctor"
Fri: "Clash By Night"
3-4—Wheel of Fortune
5—Gambit
9—Electric Company
40—Movies:
Mon: "The Tiger and the Pussycat"
Tues: "Picture Mommy Dead"
Wed: "The Marriage-Go-Round"
Thurs: "Walk East on Beacon"
Fri: "House of Bamboo"

10:30 A.M.
3-4—Hollywood Squares
5-10—Love of Life
7-13—Happy Days

11:00 A.M.
3—Magnificent Marble Machine
4—Somerset
5-10—Young and the Restless
7-13—Rhyme and Reason
36—Left, Right and Center
44—Not For Women Only

11:30 A.M.
3-4—Take My Advice
5-10—Search for Tomorrow
7-13—Neighbors
36—Yoga
44—Newstalk

NOON
2—Bonanza
3-4-5-10—News
7-13—Edge of Night
9—Woman
36—Movies:
Mon: "Wild, Wild Planet"
Tues: "War of the Planets"
Wed: "Jungle Patrol"
Thurs: "She Demons"
Fri: "Mutiny"
40—Dick Van Dyke
44—Leave It To Beaver

12:30 P.M.
3-4—Days of Our Lives
5-10—As the World Turns
7-13—All My Children
9—Yoga
40—Andy Griffith
44—Movies:
Mon: "Caught"
Tues: "Magnificent Doll"
Wed: "Letter from An Unknown Woman"
Thurs: "The Bridge of San Luis Rey"
Fri: "Red Stallion"

1:00 P.M.
2—Movies:
Mon: "Send Me No Flowers"
Tues: "A Rage to Live"
Wed: "The Trap"
Thurs: "A Farewell to Arms" Pt I
Fri: "A Farewell to Arms" Pt II
7-13—Ryan's Hope
40—Movies:
Mon: "Merrill's Marauders"
Tues: "The Enemy Dawn"
Wed: "Decision Before Dawn"
Thurs: "Between Heaven and Hell"
Fri: "Battle at Bloody Beach"

1:30 P.M.
3-4—The Doctors
5-10—Guiding Light
7-13—Let's Make A Deal

2:00 P.M.
3-4—Another World
5-10—All in the Family
7-13—$20,000 Pyramid
9—Womantime
36—Mike Douglas
44—Underdog

2:30 P.M.
5-10—Match Game
7—One Life to Live
13—To Tell the Truth
44—Huck and Yogi

3:00 P.M.
2—Porky & Friends
3—Mary Hartman, Mary Hartman
4—Ironside
5—Tattletales
7-13—General Hospital
10—Dinah!
40—Three Stooges
44—Popeye

3:30 P.M.
2-3—Mickey Mouse Club
5—Robert Young, Family Doctor
7—Movies:
Mon: "The Man with the Golden Arm"
Tues: "The Man with the Golden Arm" Pt II
Wed: "Help!"
Thurs: "Some Like It Hot" Pt I
Fri: "Some Like It Hot" Pt II
13—One Life to Live
36—Movies:
Mon: "Vice and Virtue"
Tues: "Via Mala"
Wed: "The White Tower"
Thurs: "Snow Devils"
Fri: "The Soldier"
40—Captain's Cartoons
44—Superman

4:00 P.M.
2—Batman
3—Rin Tin Tin
4—Merv Griffin
9—Mister Rogers
10—Mike Douglas
13—Gomer Pyle, USMC
40—Munsters
44—Flintstones

4:30 P.M.
2—Lassie
3—Bewitched
5—Mike Douglas
9—Sesame Street
13—Beverly Hillbillies
40—Partridge Family
44—Three Stooges

5:00 P.M.
2—Partridge Family
3-7—News
13—Adam-12
40—Brady Bunch
44—Little Rascals

5:30 P.M.
2—Bewitched
4-10-13—News
9—Electric Company
36—Get Smart
40—Hogan's Heroes
44—Monkees

6:00 P.M.
2-40—Star Trek
3-4-5-7-10-13—News
9—Zoom
36—Movie: "To Be or Not to Be" Carole Lombard
44—Brady Bunch

6:30 P.M.
9—Extraodinary People
13—Merv Griffin
44—Adam-12

7:00 P.M.
2-40—FBI
4—Truth or Consequences
5-7—News
9—Realidades
10—Concentration
44—Hogan's Heroes

7:30 P.M.
3—Seven Thirty
4—Candid Camera
5—New Treasure Hunt
7—Match Game PM
9—News
10—Hollywood Squares

8:00 P.M.
2—Movie: "Follow That Camel" Phil Silvers
3—Ballad of the Iron Horse
4—Cop and the Kid
5-10—Waltons
7-13—Welcome Back, Kotter
9—World Press
36—Movie: "The Devil and Miss Jones" Jean Arthur
40—Movie: "The Man Who Understood Women" Henry Fonda
44—Dinah!

8:30 P.M.
4—Grady
7-13—Barney Miller
9—Behind the Lines

9:00 P.M.
3-4—Movie: "McNaughton's Daughter" Susan Clark
5-10—Hawaii Five-O
7-13—Streets of San Francisco
9—Hollywood Television Theatre

9:30 P.M.
44—Best of Groucho

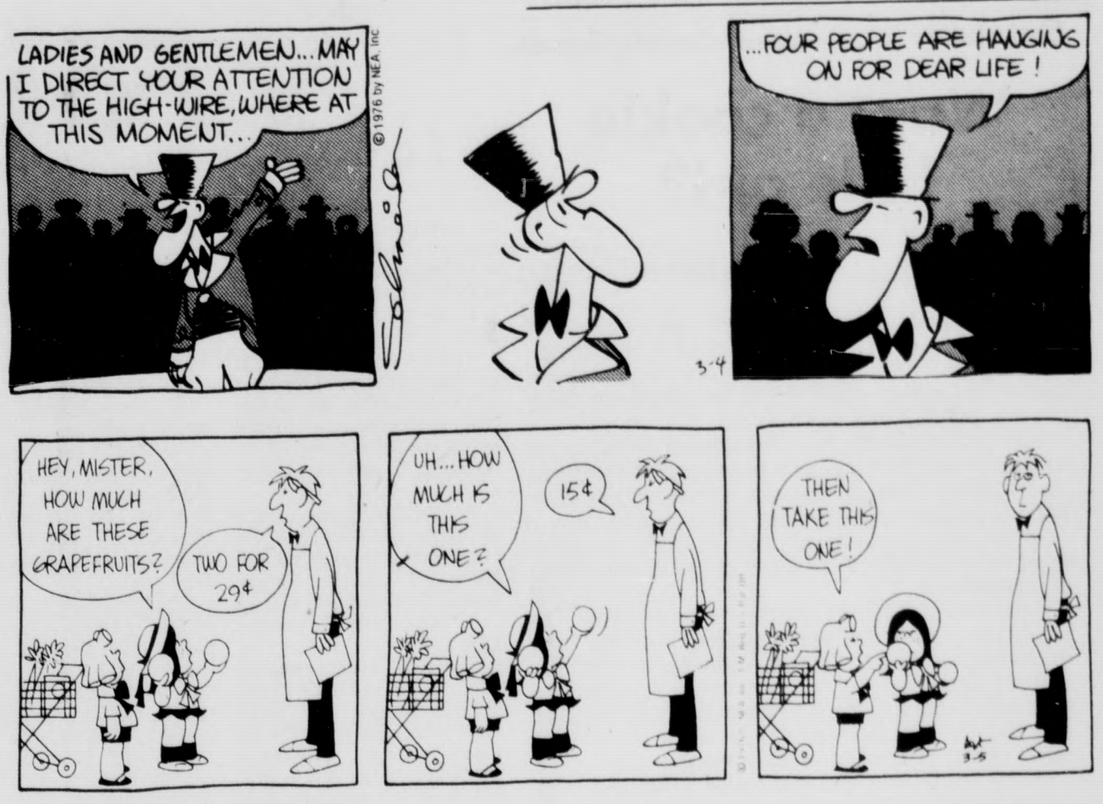
10:00 P.M.
2-40—News
5-10—Barnaby Jones
7-13—Harry O
36—Merv Griffin
44—It Takes A Thief

11:00 P.M.
2—Bilko
3-4-5-7-9-10-13—News
40—Mod Squad
44—Mary Hartman, Mary Hartman

11:30 P.M.
2—Honeymooners
3-4—Johnny Carson
5-10—Movie: "Gumshoe" Albert Finney
7—Mannix
9—News
13—Ironside
36—Movie: "The Leopard Man"
44—Movie: "Angel and the Badman" John Wayne

MIDNIGHT
2—News
36-40—Movies All Night

THE BORN LOSER



MOOSE MILLER



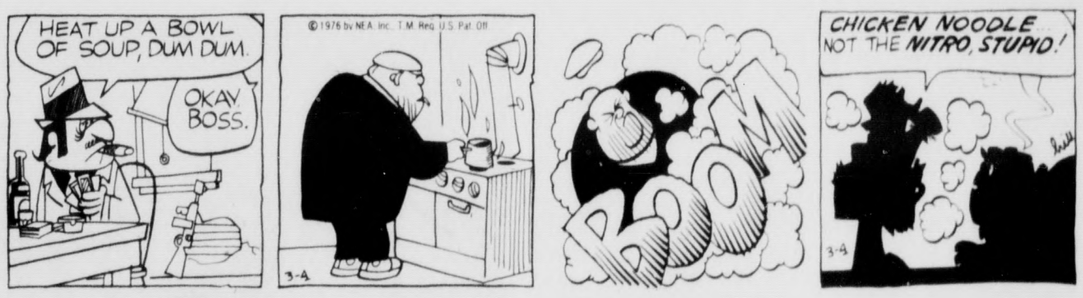
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PRISCILLA'S POP



SHORT RIBS



FRANK AND ERNEST



FAMILY CIRCUS



"I marked my lunch for school, Mommy."

astrograph

by Bernice Bede Osol

For Thursday, March 4, 1976

ARIES (March 21-April 19) In dealing with others today keep all you do out in the open. You'll not be very successful in trying to cover up.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Huurt feelings will result if an old friend feels you're showing greater concern for a new acquaintance. Treat everyone equally.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) It's possible you could be an easy mark for a sharp salesman today. You could be sold something you'd be better of without.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) To avoid unnecessary disappointment today, be realistic about your aims. Shoot neither over nor under your mark.

LEO (July 23-Aug 22) You may be caught off-guard a bit today if you're refused a request by someone whom you'd do the same thing for if the roles were reversed.

VIRGO (Aug 23-Sept 22) A business involvement today could be rather tricky. Study the matter in detail. Think each move through.

LIBRA (Sept 23-Oct 23) Not much will be accomplished if you select only the avenues of least resistence. Effort wins rewards today.

SCORPIO (Oct 24-Nov 22) Try not to overtax your energies and resources today in being of service to others. There's only so much you can do.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov 23-Dec 21) There's a good chance you could be both a slow starter and a slow finisher today. Neglected duties will still have to be attended to.

CAPRICORN (Dec 22-Jan 19) Though what you may do today will be done for the good of all concerned, it's not likely your methods will win their approval.

AQUARIUS (Jan 20-Feb 19) This is not a good day to bring a proposal to the attention of your friends if it will cost them money.

PISCES (Feb 20-March 20) Treat your resources with prudent respect today. Don't let others draw upon them as if they were their own. Avoid extravagance yourself.

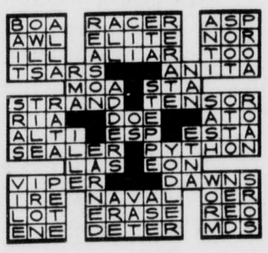
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This coming year you may become involved in several small situations that could help contribute to your material security. Be enterprising. The returns are there.

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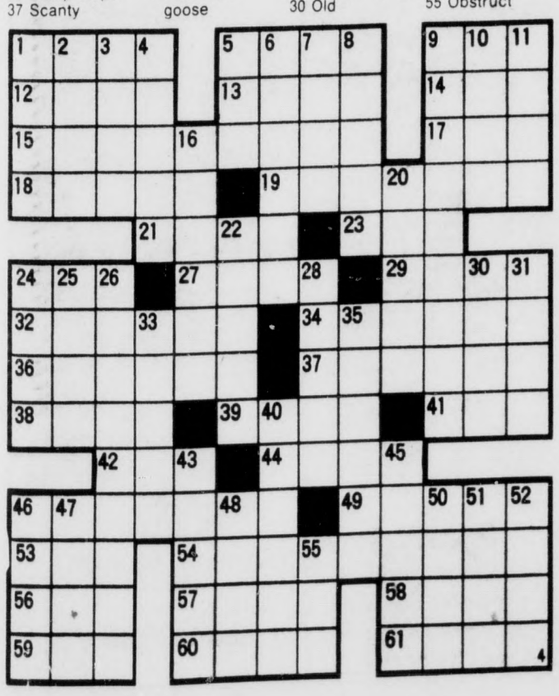
Music World

Answer to Previous Puzzle



ACROSS
1 Crooner Crosby
5 Warble
9 Kind of concert
12 European river
13 Region
14 Cuckoo blackbird
15 Observant
17 Corded fabric
18 Canadian peninsula
19 Seesaws
21 Rim
23 Transgression
24 Musical syllable
27 Small missile
29 Indonesians of Mindanao
32 Frills
34 Anger
36 Steep slope
37 Scanty
38 Short jacket
39 Small swallows
41 Dutch city
42 Sindbad's bird
44 Specks
46 Intervene
49 Of greater age
53 Biblical high priest
54 Wind from the ocean
56 I love (Latin)
57 Girl's name
58 Brazilian state
59 Negative prefix
60 Soothsayer
61 Snare

DOWN
1 Ice mass
2 Notion
3 Negatives (ab.)
4 Wine source
5 Dejected
6 Angrier
7 Hawaiian goose
8 Fence entrances
9 Ancestry
10 Heavy blow
11 Seeds
16 Rosier
20 Diadem
22 Pants for breath
24 Large plant
25 Corrode
26 Musical instrument
28 Musical speed
30 Old
31 Withered
33 Asian city
35 Adviser
40 Fancy
43 Containers
45 Snoozed
46 Intend
47 Patron saint of sailors
48 Head (Fr.)
50 Expensive
51 Biblical character
52 Harvest
55 Obstruct



WIN AT BRIDGE

Alert west snaps up trick

NORTH	4
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♥ A 2	
♦ K 4 3	
♣ K J 10 4 3	
WEST	EAST
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♥ Q 4 3	♥ J 10 8 6 5
♦ A J 10	♦ 8 7 6
♣ 9 2	♣ 6 5
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♥ K 9 7	
♦ Q 9 5 2	
♣ A Q 8 7	

East-West vulnerable

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Opening lead — K ♠

By Oswald & James Jacoby

South's opening notrump and North's raise to three are just about as standard bids as you can look for. So is West's opening lead of the king of spades, although a few modernists have started to lead the queen from the king-queen 10 combination.

The idea is that if partner holds the jack he will realize what is happening and will play it.

In any event South wins the first trick with his ace of spades and sees that he can run off eight tricks in a hurry. That isn't quite enough so at trick two he leads a diamond toward dummy's king.

An alert West will go right up with the ace of diamonds and play his queen of spades. He will reason that if South held ace-jack and a small spade he would have let the king of spades hold that first trick in order to be sure of his contract irrespective of the location of the ace of diamonds.

Ask the Jacobys

A Minnesota reader wants to know what we lead after the bidding has gone one notrump-three notrump by our opponents. We hold: ♠Q84 ♥732 ♦J964 ♣875.

We open the four of spades and hope to hit our partner with some sort of good five-card spade holding. He is marked with cards and we want to try to hit him.

(Do you have a question for the experts? Write "Ask the Jacobys" care of this newspaper. The Jacobys will answer individual questions if stamped, self-addressed envelopes are enclosed. The most interesting questions will be used in this column and will receive copies of JACOBY MODERN.)

CARNIVAL by Dick Turner



"I would like to know what made that appliance salesman think these payments would be so easy!"

SIDE GLANCES by Gill Fox



"How much would you charge to thoroughly search a marriage license for loopholes?!"

On sports

Want a cookie little girl?

Mike Zampa

The birth of full - blown girls athletics three years back caused great excitement in the EBAL.

Everyone (well, almost everyone) was pleased that young ladies would share the playfields their parents pay for with tax dollars.

Egalitarians in the P.E. department anticipated a new age in which the girls would run and jump in step with the boys. An untapped resource could be fed into the school's physical training programs.

Some, however, discovered another, perhaps even more important byproduct to the expansion of girls sports.

Here was a chance to start fresh in athletics. To eradicate the ills that plague games playing, even in the high schools. The girls and their administrators could develop philosophies and guidelines that would bring us back to the essence of fair play and healthy competition. They could accentuate team skills, self reliance and sportmanship.

Petty jealousies and unbridled rivalries, sore points in athletics, could be down played with the inauguration of a whole new sports program.

The girls would bring us back to ideals that were dashed by Woody Hayes, recruiting and the no-cut contract.

Trouble is, after a three-year trial, they're falling into the same old trap that snared the boys. Anger and bitterness pock the face of girls sports. The young ladies have come down off their pedestals. The desire to win has them fighting in the streets like anyone else who ever wore a uniform.

The just concluded basketball season was an example of fine opportunity that slipped through someone's fingers. The girls were given prime time for their games and an opportunity to display a new approach to the public.

Instead they offered the same old grousing and sniping.

Less than a month into basketball season two teams took their contest to a protest committee. The bickering from that feud hasn't subsided yet.

Midway through the year powerful teams were running up embarrassing scores against weak opponents in the name of school records.

Just last week a spectator heckled one player so mercilessly she stalked into the bleachers to confront him.

Don't single out the girls for the ills of sports. There are well chronicled cases in this region of feuding and runaway games among the boys.

It's just that the architects of girls programs had opportunity to improve on the errors of the past. Somehow the blueprints got fouled up, however.

And now the girls have achieved parity with the boys. Both are in need of athletic uplifting.

If you've read anything besides sewer news in the papers, you know this hasn't been a banner year for sportsmanship. The venerable concept has just about gone down for the count.

It gets more laughs today than the old saw about saving your body for marriage.

The breakdown of on-field morals has even spilled into the "Letters to the Editor" column. Parents and student body officers carry on the feud long after the final buzzer sounds.

The situation is supposed to get billing this month when the EBAL principals meet as the board of governors. Someone has rekindled a proposal to award sportsmanship trophies at season's end. It was done years back, but the tradition finally faded out.

Maybe it's because you can't buy off conduct.

They try in the National Hockey League with the Lady Bing Trophy for good play and clean living on the ice. But who can name last year's winner.

People are more interested in Dave Schultz, who year in and year out is credited as hockey's number one barbarian in terms of punches issued, and penalty minutes received. If you offer your hand to your rival these days, it's better copy to do so with a five-knuckle lead to the chin.

Awards for sportsmanship may be acknowledgement that behavior is slipping. But it won't reshape the attitude that makes idols of slobs.

First the win at all cost pressures have to be lifted off sport. At least in high schools where they aren't playing for major stakes.

Then a sportsmanship award would look like something besides the booby prize.

Hopefully the EBAL will investigate the causes of athletic conduct at its meeting this month. The old teaching gimmick of rewards for the kid who stands quietly in line won't solve any problems.

Happily, kids are too clever for that. They want legitimate reasons for a code of conduct.

Trophies aren't enough.

Fouls kill Dons

If you enjoyed the Christians and the lions you would've loved Hayward 66, Amador 58 in the North Coast Section basketball tournament last night at Dublin High School.

It wasn't nearly as civilized.

The Farmers and Dons pushed and shoved for four quarters and at the finish the scoreboard should have read Hayward 2, Amador 1, and one round even.

By surviving one of the all-time pier six brawls Hayward advances to the NCS semi-finals Friday night, facing Berkeley in the Cal-State Hayward gym.

For the Dons, another successful season has ended. But there's still time to enter the Golden Gloves next week. There's shouldn't be as much violent contact as there was last night.

Two players fouled out of the bitterly-contested playoff, and two others played with four fouls.

The key to last night's game, however, was in the number of brutal charges and slams that went undetected or at least unannounced by the referee.

The prone position was the basic style for both teams. They spent so much time on the floor it was a shame there weren't any missing contact lenses to search for.

The comedy of violence resulted in two technical fouls, one for each side and a choice summation by Hayward coach Joe Fuccy, who raised his arms in the second quarter and wailed, "What the hell is going on here?"

It was supposed to be basketball, Joe.

Instead it turned into a foul-shooting contest with the Farmers connecting on 24 of 30. That's where they gained their edge since the Dons worked for two more field goals.

Charley Ford scored 13 of his game + high 21 points from the free throw line including eight in succession at one time in the second half. Ford, the brillant 6-2 forward underwent skin-tight guarding by Amador's Jim Yackley. He suffered through one of his poorest shooting nights this year but made up for it with deadly foul-line acumen.

Ford was the focal point for a lot of the collusions that took place last night. The Farmers felt that their all-league scorer was the victim of a hachet job. The Dons contended that he was giving more than he took and that the referees were protecting him.

"This was the most physical game of the year for us," said a relieved Fuccy afterwards. "Our kids are not used to that. The old saying is, go to war, and Amador sure does that."

The problem was that the Dons didn't go to the foul line often enough. They had just 12 charities, exactly half of the Hayward total.

Mike Hill was the Dons' scoring leader with 17 points, through he did not carry a hot hand from the field. Steve Mohatt ignited Amador's attack with eight of 13 from the floor for 16 points. Rob Yackley, the man counted on to exploit Hayward's shorter defense, scored 10.

"We weren't concerned about the defense as much as we were our offense," said Fuccy. "We were able to go to the backboard on them early and we had some great feeds. But in the second half we didn't get into our offense as much. It was funny, but the whole thing consisted of a couple of steals that led to baskets."

Hayward held a 30-24 lead at intermission and saw that dwindle away until Hill tied the score at 42 whth a pair of free throws with 1:09 left in the third quarter.

Bothersome turnovers (Hayward had nine in the second half) threw the Farmers' attack out of kilter.

But guard Dan Jardin kept Hayward on top with a devestating third - quarter of reckless offense. Then in the fourth Rusty Terry hit a couple of key buckets, one after stealing the ball from Hill and Hayward opened a 59-50 lead with 3:21 left in the game.

"We got some great offense from Jardin," said Fuccy, "and Terry was super down the stretch. Jardin is just a junior but he's great with the ball and he can penetrate."

While Amador concentrated on Ford, Jardin went through the lane for nine points in the third quarter. He fired home shots from his shoulder, his head and even from his shoetops. "He's done that three or four times this year," smiled Fuccy.

Jardin finished with 15 points and Terry had 10.

Allan Perry also had 10 for Hayward.

Amador managed to throw up 11 more shots than Hayward. The Dons hit just 42.6 per cent however while the Farmers were shooting 48.8 per cent.

The big difference was in fouls, where both teams were equally fierce but only one benefited from the brutality.

— Mike Zampa

Hayward	16	14	16	20	— 66
Amador	14	10	20	14	— 58

Hay — Ford, 4-13-21; Perry, 5-0-10; Jardin, 6-3-15; Ferguson, 1-4-6; Carter, 1-0-2; Klinganeck, 0-2-2

AV — Hill, 6-5-17; R. Yackley, 3-5-10; Mohatt, 8-0-16; Jorgensen, 2-0-4; J. Yackley, 4-1-9; Hall, 0-2-2

College Park topples EC

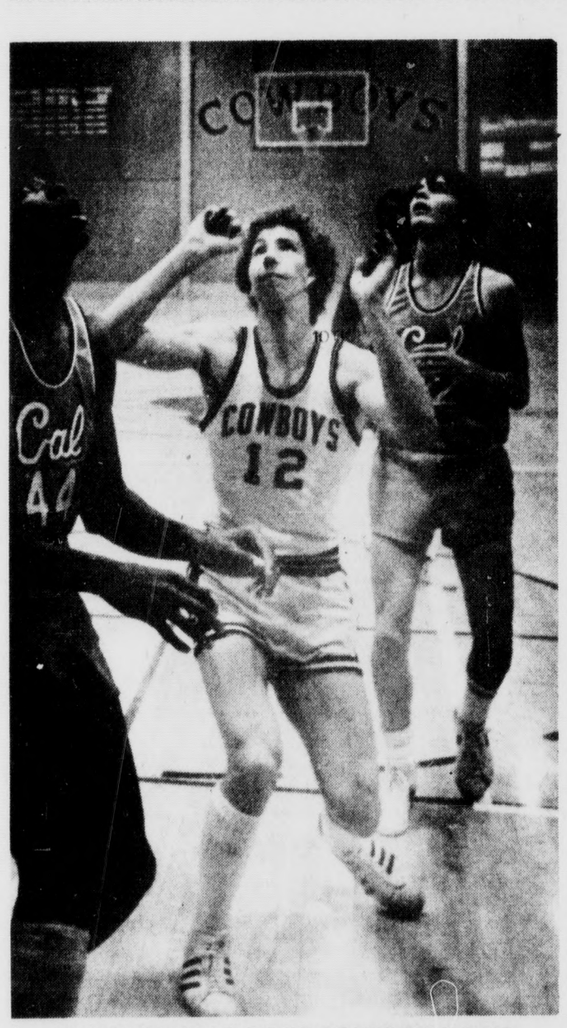
College Park kept its undefeated streak going as it downed El Cerrito, 74-67 in one North Coast Section 3-A playoff game last night at Northgate High School in Walnut Creek.

In other 3-A division games St. Joseph rolled over Washington, 68-53 at Ohlone College and Berkeley edged out Terra Linda, 65-64 at Marin County.

Doug True led the College Park offense with 20 markers and Ted Morning collected 20 for El Cerrito. College Park led by as much as 11 points in the second half before El Cerrito tied the game. True then led the Falcons back.

Mike Alston led a balanced Berkeley attack with 14 points. Bob DeGraves led Terra Linda with 18. St. Joseph was paced by Tom O'Gainns with 25 markers. Bruce Epstein led the Huskies with 14 markers.

Thus, College Park will meet St. Joseph and Berkeley will tangle with Hayward Friday night at the Cal-State Hayward gym. The finals will also be held at Cal-State Saturday.



WOODS LEADS POKE TOURNEY DRIVE
Ted Wood (12) is leading Poke scorer

Quality teams at Livermore

Livermore High School is the site of the third annual Livermore City Basketball Tournament starting today and the field promises to be both competitive and a mystery to the teams involved.

Most of the teams involved have little knowledge of how good their opponents are outside of what they read in the newspaper box scores and in the prep polls.

"I can't really say who should be favored in the tournament," admits Livermore coach John Jones. "Oakland Tech should be a good team since they beat Amador by 10 or 12 points earlier in the season but I haven't seen any team in the OAL play this season. You also can't count Granada out since they are rated and have a fine record."

Livermore plays in the 8:30 nightcap against San Juan of Citrus Heights near Sacramento. San Juan had a winning record in the Capital Valley Conference which was won by undefeated Del Campo. In other opening night contests Granada plays Del Valle at 7 p.m., Northgate and Tech collide in a barnburner at 5:30 and Tennyson takes on DeAnza in the 4 p.m. opener.

Granada mentor Pat Fracisco also said he knew little about the teams in the tournament.

"I just got the brackets for the tournament Monday," he said. "We're just going to prepare for the tournament and do our best."

Actually, if one is looking for title favorites Tech and Granada look like good bets. The Oakland school has one of Northern California's finest prep cagers in 6-6 Northern Shavers. Shavers has been named to pre - season All - American teams for the past three seasons. Unfortunately, he seemed to have reached his peak in his sophomore year and is not the dominent player he was once thought to be.

The Bulldogs have missed the services this season of All - Northern California guard Wolfe Perry who is now starting for Stanford. However, they have a tall team and have a lot going for them.

Granada finished second in the EBAL race this season and posted a outstanding 19-3 record. Leading the way for the Matadors is Joey Wujek, a 6-5 forward who can score, rebound and play top defense. Lee Brennan, a 6-7 pivotman, lends height and defensive ability. Guard Mike Fracisco sparks the Granada attack.

Northgate and Livermore appear to be 'darkhorses' for the crown. Northgate finished second in the Diablo Valley Athletic League round - robin season and almost beat unbeaten College Park in their last meeting. They have good height and speed.

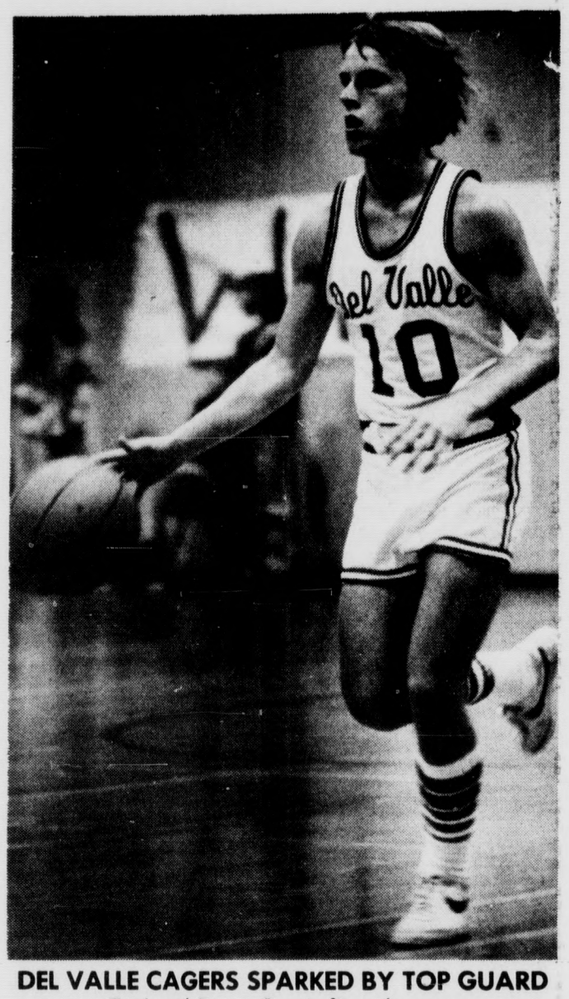
The Cowboys have All-EBAL guard Ted Wood lending a hot shooting and playmaking hand to their offense. However, prehaps the biggest reason for their 11-3 EBAL record this year has been the improved play of their whole starting line-up.

"We have about seven players who have really played to their ability this year," Jones said. "Curt Groth (6-4 center) has really improved all - around as has forward Mark McCreary. McCreary is a excellent rebounder considering the fact he is only 6-feet tall."

Tennyson, San Juan, DeAnza and Del Valle also can't be counted out as they all gained winning records this season.

In fact the Livermore Tournament may prove to be one of the most competitive tourneys in the post - season playoffs. Some of the other post - season tourneys involving second and third place teams have proven to be completely unbalanced. Fans who take in the Livermore Tournament can look for three nights of close, exciting play.

—Gary Brown



DEL VALLE CAGERS SPARKED BY TOP GUARD
Trojans' Dave See is fine shooter

Warlocks win title

Tne Warlocks captured Pleasanton's under-16 City Soccer Tournament with a 4-3 victory over the Wolves. It was the team's fourth victory against a loss and one tie in tourney play.

Laurence Peters held off the Wolves by recording 10 saves in goal.

David Rivier, Rick Burroughs, Steve Zevanoe and Randy Tucker scored the goals.

Wes Bromberg, Kevin Wall, Martin Rivier and Ron Francies were defensive standouts for the Warlocks. John Titus, Bill Rodgers, Bobby Martin, Ron Jones, Mike Dunne and Greg Myall all played well.

The Warlocks stopped the Warriors, 5-2, as Bill Broderick shut out the opposition in the second half with five saves.

Titus scored a pair of goals for the winners, as did Zevanoe. Dunne had one.

For the Warriors, Dave Bonnell and Clint Mattern each had five saves. Bob Byrd played solid defense. Dave Gane and Jim Mayo scored. Garry Murphy had one assist.

The Wasps hammered out a 3-0 victory over the Wildcats. Rob Santos had six saves in the winners' net Dave Pletcher, Mike Hjerpe and Steve Mills anchored the defense. Goals went to Doug Callan, Carlos Altamirano and Eric Lange. Other standout players included Dave Shepherd, Chris Noland and Danny Reardon.

Softball play

Signups are being taken now for Pleasanton's Women Softball action. Any women over 18 years of age can sign. League play will start in May. For further information call Sandy Keith (462-19914); Carol Myers, (462-2542) or Rosanne Putt (846-5177).

LL signups

Late signups and tryouts for Dublin Little League's Majors will be held from 1 to 3 Sunday afternoon at Kodak Field.

Rigney named SF manager

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — "It's good to be back," former player and manager Bill Rigney said moments after the new owners of the San Francisco Giants introduced him Wednesday as their choice to manage the team.

For Rigney it was a triumphant return to San Francisco and the club. He played for the Giants from 1946 through 1953 when they still occupied the crumbling Polo Grounds, then managed them for their last two years in New York and their first two on the West Coast.

Rigney, 57, was fired in the middle of the 1960 season after two third-place finishes in the National League West.

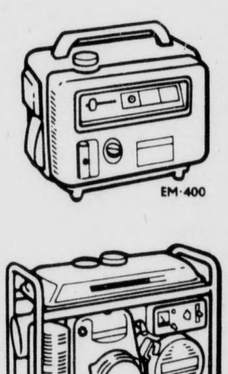
Rigney predicted better things for the faltering Giants, who drew just over half a million fans in each of the last two seasons, worst in the majors. The team was swimming in red ink, with losses of $3 million over the past two years, when Horace Stoneham put them on the block last May.

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Matadors' Freeman has tough challenge

Granada's Ron Freeman, newly - crowned 194-pound North Coast Wrestling Champion, faces his toughest challenge at the California State High School Meet at Cal-Poly Pomona this weekend.

Freeman, who has compiled a 39-2 seasonal record, hopes to lock horns with undefeated Eric Wias of Woodland, California, one of only two wrestlers to defeat him this year.

Freeman lost to Wias by a score of 6-4 in the Hogan tournament last January. The match was unique because no wrestler had ever come close to defeating Wias. "They told me I was the only guy to score on him in two years," Ron recalled.

Freeman will have to wait until the finals to get his revenge on Wias, though, as he is seeded in a different bracket. Ron's first match is a bye, while his second match will be against the fourth - place finisher from the Central Coast Section.

In taking first place in the North Coast Section, Freeman first had to defeat an extremely tough Bruce Kopitar of Pacifica, a wrestler Ron believes he won't be seeing again in the state meet. "He's in the same bracket as Wias," Ron explained.

Freeman's match with Kopitar was marred by a brief brawl over an apparent mixup over a referee's whistle. After Ron escaped Kopitar's hold to forge ahead with just five seconds remaining in the match, Kopitar charged back at him, unaware of the referee's whistle. The two butted heads.

"I thought we were off the mat, in fact, I heard the whistle. Kopitar came running up to me and we butted heads right at my nose," Freeman recalled. "Then the referee came running up to me and said, 'Well it's all right, Kopitar didn't mean it. He didn't hear the whistle.'

"The whistle blew three times, he had to hear it," Ron explained.

With the frenzied home crowd cheering him on, Freeman kept his cool and finished the match winning by a close 6-5 margin.

Kopitar will battle with Wiar in the first round, while Mission San Jose's Kevin Turner, third - place finisher at North Coast and Freeman's arch - rival, will also wrestle in that bracket. Freeman hopes to stay alive and reach the finals against the survivor. "I don't think Kopitar will beat Wias, and I know Turner won't," Ron said. So the chances are good Freeman will knock heads with Wias for the state championship Freeman's strategy in Pomona will consist of avoiding the quick takedown, a minor problem Ron has encountered in big matches this year. "When you wrestle at 194 it gives you a lot of time to get nervous," Ron explained. "In my match with Wias, I blew it right at the beginning, because he got two quick points. I did the same thing against Kopitar. He got a quick takedown on me, but I came back when he gassed out."

"I was too scared to try anything against Wias," Freeman recalled. "I heard that he took state in the 178-pound division the year before, and I thought he was going to be great. I plan to do better this time," Ron predicted.

Freeman, who failed to make the basketball team as a freshman, only started wrestling two years ago as a sophomore.

"Coach (Steve) Page, who was my football line coach at the time, convince me to go out for wrestling," Ron stated. "Also, last year's assistant, Brian Johnson, knew a lot of moves.

He was really a strong wrestler and developed his own moves, like I do," Ron continued. "I really don't use that much that anybody else uses, just a few basics. I picked up a lot of moves from Brian and learned how to be cautious against him, but Coach Page really taught me everything I know."

After the state meet, Freeman plans to finalize his college decision. "I have an opportunity to get a scholarship from UCLA for wrestling, but I don't think I'd be playing much football at UCLA right off." Freeman is an all-EBAL and South County defensive lineman, and football comes before wrestling for Ron. "I'll probably go to Chabot for two years and play both football and wrestling, and hope they scout me for football."

Looking ahead to the state meet, Freeman admits he will be happy with nothing short of a first-place finish "It's been my goal all season long he said. "It'll be kind of a bummer if I don't place."

— **Brian Martin**

Evert makes quarter-finals

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Chris Evert, who has lost only six games in her two matches, breezed into the quarter-finals of the $75,000 women's tennis tournament here Wednesday by beating Elly Appel Vessies of Holland, 6-1, 6-1.

Jeanne Evert, 18 - year - old sister of the 21 - year - old Chris, lost her match to eighth - seeded Terry Holladay of LaJolla, Calif., 6-3, 6-4.

With two second - round matches to go — top - seeded Evonne Goolagong against Ann Kiyomura of San Mateo, Calif., and seventh - seeded Rosie Casals of San Francisco against Brigitte Cuypers of South Africa — the tournament was without upsets. The first six players to make the quarter-finals all were among the first eight seeds.

Martina Navratilova, the No. 3 from Beverly Hills, Calif. downed Pam Teeguarden of Los Angeles 7-5, 6-1, and fourth - seeded Virginia Wade of England didn't lose a game in eliminating Tory Fretz of Los Angeles, 6-0, 6-0.

Holland's Betty Stove pushed sixth - seeded Nancy Gunter of San Angelo, Tex. to three sets in losing 6-1, 3-6, 6-4, and in the only other three-set match of the second round, Marita Redondo of National City, Calif., No. 5 seed, came from behind to beat Lesley Hunt of Australia, 3-6, 6-2, 7-5.

January starts comeback

By BOB GREEN
AP Golf Writer

ORLANDO, Fla. (AP) — At age 46, old pro Don January is involved in one of golf's most amazing comebacks.

"It was difficult in many respects," the lean, lanky and laconic Texan said after a practice round Wednesday on the 6,929-yard, par-72 Rio Pinar Country Club course, site of the $200,000 Citrus Open Golf Tournament that begins Thursday.

"Physically, I was fine when I started back out. But I had a lot of mental adjustments to make," said the slow - moving, easy - going January, who abandoned the pro tour in 1972 to concentrate on golf course architecture.

"It wasn't easy. In fact, it was more difficult that I thought. I wasn't sure I could do it. I thought I could, but I wasn't sure. I gave myself one full year to find out."

That year started in 1975, when the economy was in a downturn, the golf course business wasn't good and the big money lure of the tour was very strong.

At an age when most athletes are long retired, January started a comeback after 2½ years of golfing inactivity. He won $69,000 in that first full year of return and capped it with a victory in the San Antonio - Texas Open, the last individual championship of the year.

The comeback has continued this year. While he hasn't won — yet — January has compiled one of the most enviable records on the tour. He's won $30,302 and finished seventh, third and seventh in his last three starts.

"I feel very comfortable now," he said. "I'm playing as well as I ever have. My nerves are good. And I'm enjoying myself. I still like to compete."

That record and that attitude made him one of the top favorites in a strong field arrayed for this 72-hole chase that offers a $40,000 first prize.

Among his chief competitors are defending title - holder Lee Trevino, who has won five of his 18 tour titles in Florida and usually plays his best in this state, J.C. Snead, Hale Irwin, British Open champ Tom Watson and South African Gary Player.

Jack Nicklaus, Johnny Miller and Billy Casper are skipping this tournament.

Miracle aids Wolf matman

Odds were that Jacques Cousteau would discover the Loch Ness Monster before Mark Voegeli of San Ramon High reached the California High School Wrestling Championships this weekend at Cal Poly Pomona.

Voegeli wrestled last Saturday in Livermore at the North Coast Section Championships. He was competing for the right to wrestle in the state finals.

But two days before the meet, he couldn't even walk.

"I tore knee ligaments wrestling that Wednesday, and my doctor wanted me off the leg for 10 days," Voegeli revealed yesterday. "I told him I was going to wrestle on Saturday. He said, 'You're dreaming.' "

Voegeli not only wrestled, he finished second at North Coast by whipping three opponents easily. Now he will make the trek South or the last big weekend of wrestling this season.

"After I hurt the knee, nobody except coach (Ed) Wright thought I'd be able to wrestle," Voegeli said.

But he convinced Acalanes' Bill Worthington by pinning him in the first NCS match at 157 pounds. Then Don Hurst of Vintage absorbed a 15-0 whitewash.

Regional champion Bob Cardenas of Vintage came up next, and Voegeli disposed of him, 8-2.

Then things caught up with the San Ramon senior. He was pitted against Napa's Rick Worel.

"My brother (former San Ramon wrestler Steve Voegeli) thought I should've avoided any chance of hurting my leg more by forfeiting the final match," confessed Voegeli.

It might have been a good idea. Voegeli was beaten, 20-2.

"By the last match I was exhausted and emotionally let down," Voegeli said. "Worel isn't any stronger than I am. If we wrestled again, I know I would win."

In fact, Voegeli says he's wrestled better people. Worel is definitely among the top five, however.

Worel and Igor Vassa (second place finisher at state a year ago) are the only competitors this weekend Voegeli is familiar with.

He won't disclose any goals for the state championships, but said that college wrestling is in his future plans. Cal Poly at San Luis Obispo is his target. "I applied there and was turned down," Voegeli revealed. "But I went down and talked to the coach. I think I still might be able to go there.

"Cal Poly hasn't lost to a California school in 14 years — something like 170 matches," Voegeli said. Their coach, Vaughan Hitchcock, will be the U.S. Olympic coach this year.

Voegeli isn't counting on a scholarship from Cal Poly, because the number has been reduced from 19 to 11 at the school. He knows he'll get the competition, though. Eight of the Mustangs' 10 wrestlers are members of the national wrestling team.

But college is one thing. This Saturday in Pomona is something else.

"I've looked forward to this all year," Voegeli said solemnly.

And so have his father, brother and other followers who last week believed he'd be as close to Pomona Saturday as he would be on the moon.

But then, most astronauts could walk two days before their launch.

— **Rich Freedman**

Amador swimmers breeze

Amador High School's swimming team drove to an easy season - opening 125-46 victory over host Pacific of San Leandro yesterday.

The Dons took 11 of 12 varsity events in riding to the easy win. Both relay teams took victories. The 200 - medley quartet swam to a 1:50.7 clocking while the 200 - freestyle team took a 3.40.1 victory.

Steve Pratuch won the 200 - freestyle event in 2.00.1, the 100 - flystroke in 1:02.5 and also swam on the winning 200 - medley relay squad.

Mark Allen was also an impressive performer for the Dons. Allen won the 50 - freestyle in 24.2 and took the 100 - backstroke in 1:05:6.

The Amador junior varsity also won easily, 115-29. Amador is scheduled to meet Irvington Tuesday in Pleasanton.

Amador 125, Pacific 46

200-medley relay Amador, Pratuch, Gilbert, Morton, Story, 1:50.7; **200-freestyle** Pratuch, Amador, 2:00.1; **200-medley** Bird, Pacific, 1.13.4; **50-freestyle** Allen, Amador, 24.2; **Diving** Dahlheim, Amador, 170.2; **100 - flystroke** Pratuch, Amador, 1.02.5; **500 - freestyle** Dan Knaver, Amador, 5.20.6; **100 - backstroke** Allen, Amador, 1.05.6; **100 - breaststroke** Story, Amador, 1.00.3; **200 - freestyle relay** Amador, Pearson, Morton, Yparraguirre, Story, 3.40.1

Fairmont first

Fairmont State College of West Virginia, having completed its first unbeaten regular season, was selected Wednesday as the No. 1 college division team for the 1975-76 basketball season in The Associated Press' final poll.

The Falcons, in being named the top team for the first time in the 16-year history of the balloting by a national panel of sports writers and broadcasters, received 23 of 36 firstplace votes and 331 points, easily beating runner-up Grand Canyon of Arizona.

Fairmont, a state college of about 4,000 students in northern West Virginia, has a 27-0 record. The Falcons won the West Virginia Intercollegiate Athletic Conference title last Saturday night and qualified for their fourth consecutive NAIA tournament, beginning next week in Kansas City.

Grand Canyon, 21-1, collected three first-place votes and 257 points for second place in the poll. Gardner-Webb, N.C., 24-3, did not get a No. 1 vote but wound up third with 234 points.

Alcorn State, Miss., 25-3, received three first - place votes and was fourth with 195 points. Philadelphia Textile, 25-2, had the second highest number of first - place votes with five, but couldn't finish better than fifth over-all with 173 points.

Rounding out the Top Ten were: Marymount College, Kan., 24-3, 140 points; Nicholls State, La., 20-3, 131 points; Kentucky State, 22-5, 111 points; Cheyney State, Pa., 23- 3, one first-place vote and 77 points, and Shepherd, 31-2, 49 points.

Then in order came Tennessee State, 19-7, 30 points; Bridgeport, Conn., 21-4, 27 points; Florida Tech, 20-3, one first-place vote and 24 points; Tennessee - Chattanooga, 19-7, 23 points, and Rollins, Fla., 18-5, 21 points.

Last year's college division champion, Old Dominion University of Virginia, failed to break into the final rankings this season.

Gary Alexander, Clemson's 6-foot-6 tackle, weighs 250 pounds and plays beside 252-pound tight end Bennie Cunningham who is 6-feet-5.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed proposals will be received at the Office of the City Clerk of the City of Pleasanton, Civic Center, 200 Bernal Avenue, Pleasanton, California, until March 16, 1976 at 2:00 P.M., P.D.S.T. for the construction of street improvements in the following portion of the City:

The Construction of Street Improvements, Abbie Street - Main Street to First Street, City of Pleasanton, as shown and delineated by project plans.

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The City of Pleasanton reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any informality or irregularity in any bid, or to delete portions thereof.

Prevailing wage rates have been adopted by Resolution No. 75-59 by the City Council, and are on file with the City Clerk. It will be necessary for a notice of the existence of said resolution to be provided to each employee who works on the project or post the notice in a conspicuous place at the job site.

A Statement of Financial Responsibility, Technical Ability and Experience, and a list of Subcontractors shall accompany all proposals. Failure to furnish such statements may result in rejection of the proposal. Forms for these statements will be furnished by the City Engineer.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
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PLANNING COMMISSION

Notice is hereby given that the Alameda County Planning Commission will hold a public hearing to consider amending the Zoning Ordinance of the County of Alameda, California, by reclassifying from the H-1 (Highway Frontage) District to other zoning districts as provided by said Ordinance, various properties described generally as:

two parcels; one located on Andrade Road southwest quadrant with I-680, containing 3.44 acres; and one located on Andrade Road southeast quadrant with I-680, containing 6.03 acres, Sunol Area, bearing County Assessor's designation: Map 96, Block 1, Parcels 6-5 and 7-6, as shown on the map labelled "1246th Zoning Unit, Exhibit A, February 9, 1976," on file with this Commission at 399 Elmhurst Street, Hayward, California.

Said public hearing will be held on MONDAY, the 15TH day of MARCH, 1976, beginning at 1:30 p.m., in the County of Alameda Public Works Building, Auditorium, 399 Elmhurst Street, Hayward, California.

All persons interested in this matter may appear and be heard at this meeting.

WILLIAM H. FRALEY
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To Whom It May Concern:

Subject to issuance of the license applied for, notice is hereby given that the undersigned proposes to sell alcoholic beverages at the premises, described as follows:

7851 Amador Valley Blvd.
Dublin, CA. 94566

Pursuant to such intention, the undersigned is applying to the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control for issuance of an alcoholic beverage license (or licenses) for these premises as follows:

ON SALE GENERAL
PUBLIC PREMISES

/s/ Arthur Ferreira
FERREIRA, Arthur & Mary T.
(Names of Applicants)

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Just Call 462-4165

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12 noon Tues. for Wed.
12 noon Wed. for Thurs.
12 noon Thurs. for Fri.
12 noon Fri. for Sun.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

4. Lost & Found

FOUND blk. lab. found in Las Positas area. No identification, call 846-0706, or 846-3575.

LOST: German Shepherd, long haired, male, brown leather collar, answers to "Mark". Vic. Sunol. 826-2319 after 5 p.m.

6. Personals

ACCIDENT PRONE? Be sure you're covered. Phone the Valley/Pleasanton Times **443-1105** for information on the lowest cost accident insurance you've ever seen! NO SALESMEN WILL CALL!

BUSINESS SERVICES

9. Services Offered

DRESSMAKING & ALTERATIONS
Done In my Home
Call: 443-6697

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9. Services Offered

FIX-ALL
Plumbing, elect., crptry, heating, repair & install appli., etc. 828-4334.

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We have specialists to service your every need.

WASHERS, DRYERS, refrig., stove. We buy & pick up, working or not. 881-5188.

11. Building Services

CABINETS & DECORATING
Specialize in all small remodelling Bus. 829-4588 or 846-9430.

14. Hauling, Moving

B.A. HAULING, ANYTHING, ANYTIME. Call Greg 828-0848 or Mark at 828-4585.

INSTRUCTION

22. Educational Serv.

CORRECT READING PROBLEMS NOW priv. tutoring, cred. teacher, 462-5731 aft. 4 p.m.

24. Instruction

Learn to play
Drums, Piano, Guitar
Truman Lee Guitar Studio
829-1896 Aft. 1:30 p.m.

PIANO INSTRUCTION
Classical & Jazz
25 yrs. professional exper. Call 829-3178

27. Licensed Day Care

THE ARK, has pre-school & day care openings, ages 2-10. 846-1060 & 846-1466.

EMPLOYMENT

32. Help Wanted

ARROYO AGENCY
LOCAL JOBS
FOR LOCAL PEOPLE
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447-3959

COUPLE NEEDED to manage 6 units in Pleasanton. $80 off of rent. 443-5519.

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Fee paid - Fee jobs
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6990 Village Pkwy., Dub.

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PURCHASING Exp. only to $800
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12 noon Friday for Sunday

MAIL TO:
P.O. Box 188
Pleas., CA 94566
Attn: Classified
462-4160

32. Help Wanted

BUSY FULLER BRUSH MAN needs assistant to pickup and deliver orders, car & phone a must. **937-4253.**

LIQUOR CLERK pt. time, will train, mornings - Mon, Tues.,Thurs., Sat. & Sun., 23 hrs. wk., pref. over 35, Livermore 447-1532.

MANAGER, part-time for wholesale/retail business. Willing to train. 443-5728.

Men & Women

EXCEPTIONAL TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES FOR CAREER MINDED PEOPLE

$15-$30,000 first year & more in future years. International Company in 56th year of growth needs 2 qualified trainees in this area.

ARE YOU
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Part time or full time housecleaning work, over 21. Call 462-2062 7-9 p.m. and wknds.

Pre-Sch. teacher aide, pt. time 6 hrs. wk., send resume to P.O. Box 188-190, Pleasanton, CA 94566.

RECPT. must be congenial, energetic and identify w/people. Good typing skills, some bkping., Person Friday. Send resume to P.O. Box 188-191 Pleasanton, CA.

STORE HELP NEEDED
Local appliance store needs part-time evening help, no previous sales or clerk experience needed. We train. Must now be employed. Some management positions available. $70 per week or incentive pay programs available. For information call after 3 p.m. **443-8112.**

TELEPHONE SOLICITORS
Call from your home for household donations. Full or part-time, salary + bonus. Purple Heart Veterans, 825 "A" St., Hayward, 581-8094.

Telephone solicitors, salary + commission, exper. pref. but not necessary. Call 829-4882.

WAITRESS WANTED: 21 yrs. or over, pref. experienced & married. Call between 12-4 p.m., closed Mondays, 846-6800.

WAITRESS & COOK, pref. over 25, part-time, could work into full time. Experienced neces., reliable & good worker. Call between 9-2 p.m., 846-0534.

WANTED AGGRESSIVE COUPLE as Assistant Manager for new 131 unit Apt. complex. Free 2 bdrm. apt., utilities & compensation for painting & cleaning apartments. References requested. Reply to P.O. Box 188-187, Pleasanton, CA 94566.

32. Help Wanted

DENTAL RECPT. experience for general dentist, in pleasant office, able to take x-rays. Apply or send resume to 2815 East Ave., Livermore.

33. Salespeople

A REAL ESTATE sales person wanted. Modern active firm in fast selling area. Lots of personal help & training. Exper. not essential. Outstanding commission schedule. Friendly no high pressure office. For appointment, **Mr. Anderson 828-9272, eves. 820-1777.**

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34. Domestics Needed

BABYSITTER NEEDED: Mon.-Sat. 2 children, 6 yrs. & 19 months, call 455-4029 after 6:30 p.m.

BABYSITTING in your home, TLC for any age, please call 455-6559.

PERMANANT POSITION for mature, responsible BABYSITTER. 2 to 10:30 p.m., 1 to 3 nights during week, in my home. Call 846-5386.

35. Work Wanted

Secretary-Pt. time, shorthand, typing, dictaphone, & calculator. Call 846-9784.

LIVESTOCK, PETS

38. Pets & Services

FOR SALE Dalmatian, male, 11 mos., AKC, for more info. call 462-4973.

FREE RABBITS: 1 black doe, 1 dutch buck & 3 bunnies. Call 846-9028.

GIVEAWAY, loveable Irish Setter, free to good home. Call 846-5951.

WILL YOUR ACCIDENT INSURANCE PROTECT YOU IF YOU'RE STRUCK DOWN BY A DOG CART? Ours will. Phone the Valley/Pleasanton Times--**443-1105**--for information on the lowest cost accident insurance you've ever seen! NO SALESMAN WILL CALL!

MERCHANDISE

46. Appliances

DLX. WASHER & DRYER, 3 yr. old, $200; 6 mos. old Spanish table & 6 chairs, $175. 455-4432.

REFRIGERATOR, $100; Washer & Dryer, $200; Lge. Refrig./Freezer, $50. 846-1136 aft. 5 p.m.

WASHERS, dryers, refrig., & stoves, reconditioned from $49.95 & up. Discount Center, 28149 Mission Blvd., Hayward. 881-5188.

47. Home Furnishings

COMPLETE WATERBEDS, STARTING FROM $100. 676-4880.

SIMMONS QUEEN Size mattress, $50; frame $5; gold bedspread, $20. Call 462-5326.

48. Articles for Sale

All wood baby chest 5 drwr., $35, blue vinyl headboard, $3. Both good cond., call 846-7058.

ATTENTION SELLERS: 20x20 sp.-$4.00. Murray PTA, Dub. 4th Annual Flea Mkt., Apr. 10. Call 829-0159 or 828-1992.

48. Articles for Sale

McCurley FLOOR COVERING
Carpet
Linoleum Tile
7022 Village Parkway, Dublin
Lic. No. 275321
FREE ESTIMATES
828-9660

BIKES, boys and girls, used, good condition, several to choose from, parts. 828-5667.

Crib $35, stroller $15, 2 Tricycles $5 ea., wonder horse $15. Call 846-8830.

CUSTOM MADE REDWOOD PATIO FURN., 6 piece set only $54.95. FREE DELIVERY. 689-4576.

Double box spring & mattress 800 coil firm w/wrought iron headboard $60. Call 828-4669.

DUBLIN HEALTH SPA Contract, 20 months left, $130, $25 Down, pay balance monthly. 828-5314.

FIREWOOD
Almond, seasoned, $68 cord, delivered. 443-8119.

FIREWOOD
$60-Cord delivered.
Tree removal. 862-2185.

FOUR TIRES & RIMS, Highway tread for Ford 8-lug pattern. $80. Call 447-6175.

FREE WEED-FREE TOP SOIL/COMPOST MIX, STREET ACCESS, YOU HAUL. 519 LORREN WY., LIV.

GARAGE SALE Mar. 6-7, 8 a.m. 6 p.m., 3547 Windcave Ct., Pleasanton.

GARAGE SALE: Everything Must Go! 1186 Aster Ln., Liv. Friday & Saturday, 9-3 p.m.

HOUSE & GARDEN GARAGE SALE furniture, clothing, plants, 1 yr. old Hotpoint double-oven stove, Sat. 12-6, Sun. 9-3, 321 Virginia Dr., Livermore, 443-7468.

LUV SEAT, Inge. chair, potty chr., psh. mower, mns. suits + top coat, sz. 42R. Kitchen tble., Hummel fig. 846-8218.

NOW, COMPLETE ACCUMULATING SUPPLEMENTAL ACCIDENT INSURANCE FOR UNDER 24¢ PER WEEK! Protects you 24 hours a day anywahere in the world for as little as $11.50 per year. Full $10,000 coverage, plus hospital, medical, ambulance, X-rays and specified diseases. All in addition to your workman's compensation or other coverage. IN ADDITION, with NO increase in premium, insured coverage increases at the rate of 1% per month until an additional 60% has been added. For complete no obligation details on the lowest cost accident insurance you've ever seen, phone the Valley/ Pleasanton Times today at **443-1105.** NO SALESMAN WILL CALL, EVER!

ROSE STREET WAREHOUSE 254 ROSE STREET, DANVILLE New Owner. Come In & Browse! Come In & Get Acquainted! 820-1655

SEASONED OAK FIREWOOD: $80 a cord, delivered. Guar. to burn or money refunded. Call collect (209) 847-0471.

TONY GREER formerly of Pleasanton at DON'S HAIR DESIGNS. SEBRING STYLING, Livermore.

Twin Bed complete w/foot & headboard $35. GE dryer $40. Both gd. cond., 447-3587 eves.

Walnut Triple Dresser, 2 nightstands $225. Herculon sofabed $50. Call 846-1725.

49. Television—Stereo

HERE THEY ARE
ZENITH
MAGNAVOX
QUASAR
ALL MODELS
★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★
EXPERT REPAIR SERVICE
FRANK'S TV
720 MAIN, PLEAS.
846-5505

50. Wanted to Buy

USED CARS, will buy any condition. Call 447-3377.

52. Boats & Service

ALWAYS A BOAT SHOW AT CROOKS BOATS
Thompson - Enterprise
Kona Jet - Thunderbolt
Glasspar - Trailerboat
COMPARE
1975 Closeouts
20394 San Miguel, Castro Valley
Coffee & Donuts
Thurs. Evening

CORONET CRUISER 18 Ft. w/ 125 h.p., merc. o.b., sleeps 3, sink, stove, head, ice bx., many extras w/tandem axle trailer, mint cond., $2900, 862-2135 aft. 5 p.m.

53. Sportsmen's Needs

K-2 SKIS, Look bindings, $95; Snow chains, 14" or 15", $18. 828-4451.

FINANCIAL

61. Business Opps.

GROCERY STORE, retirement and recreation area. Netting $80,000, asking price$200,000, open books, terms available, **Mother Lode Realtors, Box 702, Arnold, Ca. (209) 795-1445.**

RESPONSIBLE PERSON WANTED to own & operate nationally known Candy & Beverage Vending Route in commerical & retail locations furnished by Company. Pleasant business + excellent monthly income. Can start part-time. Age or experience not important as Co. will give on the job training to person selected. Requires car & $1395 to $4950 cash investment, fully secured. Postage Stamp Vending Route also avail. For local interview, write & give phone. ROUTE DEPT. CAL WEST VENDORS SUPPLY, INC., 2598 American River Dr., Sacramento, CA 95825 or phone (916) 481-6553.

63. Money to Loan

NEED MONEY
WHO CHARGES LESS FOR A 2nd TRUST DEED?
Our Service Saves Time
Our Rates Save Money
MKT. VALUE APPRAISALS!
AMORTIZED LOANS-YES
Easy Flexible Loan Plans
As Legally Permitted
Tenative approval by phone
Any age anywhere considered confidential. "If you're not doing business with us you're probably paying too much".
SECURITY PLAN
OF CALIF.
443-6238 Anytime
G. Rutherford Independant Bkr. "A Calif. Loan Brokerage Firm

RENTALS

71. Offices—Stores (Rent)

DUBLIN RETAIL STORES OR EXECUTIVE OFFICES
Several prime locations available. Start at 35¢
LANGE-HILDE
828-6900

Real Estate Office
Can include all office furniture. Furniture lease or purchase negotiable. Call Agent 829-4222. Ask for Dan.

72. Industrial, Commercial for Rent

SPACE AVAILABLE, 3000 sq. ft., in new Automotive Center. Equipped w/fire sprinklers & security system. A&R Automotive Center, 846-4421.

75. Apartments for Rent

PLEAS.- Pleasanton Meadows, 2 bdrm., dishwasher, refrig., garbage, swimming pool, cable TV. $240 mo. 846-3557.

77. Share Rentals

SHARE RENTAL, 2 bdrm. apt., own bdrm., male-female, prefer under 40, $96 mo. Call 455-1963.

80. Homes for Rent

Available, sharp, 3 bdrm., 2 bath, large rumpus room, shag cpt. thru-out, 2 car garage, only $345. Call 447-6085.

80. Homes for Rent

FOR RENT, Springtown area, 2 bdrm. 2 bath, built in air, 1st & last mo. plus cleaning depos. need credit ref's. Call 443-2549.

PLEAS.-VAL VISTA AREA Avail. now, immac. newly decor. 3 bdrm., 2 bth., fam. rm., frplc., built - ins. Patio, fenced & low maint. landscape. Boat, etc. storage, 2 car garage. Top area. Easy fwy. access. Call 820-4200 Judy days, 939-3661 eves.

PLEAS.-Val Vista, 4 bdrm., cust. drps., quiet ct., avail. 3/1-9/30. $350 mo + $300 dep. Agt., 462-4793, 846-8126.

SAN RAMON, Delightful 3 bdrm., 2 bth., AEK, frplc., fam. rm., cpts., drps., patio, cul-de-sac. 829-2728.

SAN RAMON-Sharp 3 bdrm., 2 bath home on cul-de-sac, close to schools & shopping. $350 per mo. 829-4539 btwn. 9 & 11 a.m.

SAN RAMON- 4 bedroom, 2 bath, located close to schools. Carpets & drapes. $350 per mo. **VILLAGE REALTY, 829-2323.**

SHARP 4 bedroom, 2 bath, new carpets, clean as a pin. $340 per month. Agent, 829-4222.

SUNSET AREA- 3 bedroom, 2 bath, large family kitchen, cul-de-sac sized lot with rear access & camper pad. Dishwasher, fireplace, carpets throughout. $350 mo. **Agt., 455-6550.**

2 rm. house, unfurnished, $165 mo., prefer middle age. Call 447-1796.

REAL ESTATE

87. Commercial Industrial for Sale

COMMERCIAL

CONVERT this excellent home to commercial for your business or offices. 2 bed, 1½ bath. Beautiful condition, hardwood floors, fireplace, dining room, garage, and more **$38,500**

PROFESSIONAL men, investors, perfect home for conversion to office spaces. 2 bed, 1 bath, fireplace, garage, hardwood floors and more **$35,500**

140' x 150' level corner lot. Suitable for multiple zoning**$28,000**

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443-5400
FIRST & K ST., LIVERMORE

Prime Location
Danville Real Estate Office, including 7 desks, office equipment. Ready to go. Assume lease. Call Agent, 829-4222, Ask for Dan

DANVILLE

HANDSOME CALIF. RANCH
Executive 5 bedroom, 3 bath home, featuring 2500 sq. ft. of king-size living. All new electric kitchen with self-cleaning oven, tile counters. Tile entry, wood floors, air conditioning, large patio, mature walnut trees and more. CALL TODAY. **$87,500.**

HERITAGE REALTORS
The Gallery
7124 Village Parkway, DUBLIN
828-6060

DUBLIN

OPEN SAT & SUN 1-4
11426 DILLON WAY
DRASTIC PRICE REDUCTION on this 3-4 bedroom, 2½ bath hilltop tri - level in Briarhill. If you are choosy, you will like this one. Now only $61,500. Call eves., 462-4494.
818 MAIN **462-5144**

REALTY
818 MAIN ST. **462-5144**

BEAUTIFUL APPLETREE
We would like you to compare the features of this 4 bedroom, single story Appletree home. Ideal setup for a friendly family looking for a nice neighborhood. Best buy at this price.. **$47,950**

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2911 Hopyard Rd., Pleas.

BRIGHT
cheerful kitchen, all built-in, exciting floor plan. Central entry into beautiful living room. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, with large family room. $43,900.
★TRI-VALLEY★
Realtors 828-8700
8929 San Ramon Rd.

HILLTOP SPECIAL
SILVERGATE-unique 4 bedroom, 2 bath, mature landscaping, lots of cement work, fruit trees, plush carpets, custom drapes. Owner asking**$51,950.**
★TRI-VALLEY★
REALTOR 462-2770
268 Main St., Pleasanton

DUBLIN

NO DOWN GI on this remodeled 3 bedroom, 2 bath home. Fireplace, family room kitchen has been expanded, enclosed patio. **$39,950**

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7000 Village Parkway Dublin - 829-1212

BARKLEY SQUARE
home with 3 bedrooms and 2 baths. VA or conventional. Financing Available. Almost new wall to wall carpeting. Submit your offers. $39,950.

VINTAGE REALTORS 829-4100

VACANT!
No down payment for the GI Buyer or very low down for FHA will purchase this 4 bedroom, 2 bath home. Freshly painted inside with shiny hardwood floors. Mature landscaping, shake roof & in one of Dublin's best areas. Move in right away. $44,950.

Young American Realtors
829-4222

5 BEDROOM, 2 bath, 2 story Silvergate home. Vacant, quick possession to GI buyer. **$53,500.**

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7000 Village Parkway Dublin - 829-1212

DUBLIN

PARKWOOD SPECIAL
Cozy 3 bedroom, 2 bath. Immaculate home in quiet court. Beautiful backyard for summer entertaining. $49,950.

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SILVERGATE
4 bdrm., 2 bath, 2 story home. Cent. entry, stepdown living rm., exposed beam ceiling, frplc., formal dining, well landscaped, big yard. $54,950. CALL 829-1212:
DON GARLINGTON
An Allied Broker

Spanish Style
3 bedroom, 2 bath, AEK, dishwasher, shake roof, Super Sharp. ONLY $42,950.**TRI VALLEY BROKERS, 829-1020.**

LIVERMORE

BETTER BUYS AT BETTER HOMES $38,300
3 bedrooms, 2 baths, a spotless home in top neighborhood. Zone air, water softener, screened patio.
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BETTER BUYS AT BETTER HOMES $64,950
Redwood model, don't miss this. Upgraded carpets, custom drapes, AEK with self cleaning oven. Sprinklers front and rear, 2300 sq. ft. of luxury.
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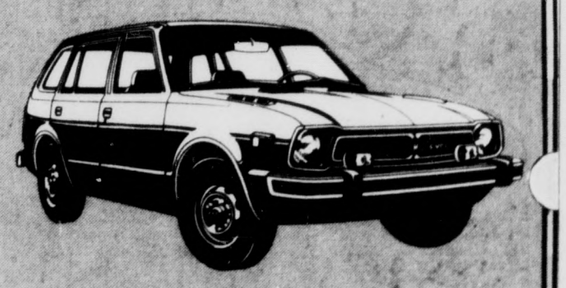
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New tennis league

The Pleasanton recreation department is forming a new tennis league with team play based on World Team Tennis. Instructor Marv Silva and Pat Moore and Donna Miller go over the fine points of tennis in preparation for the Ladies Leisure League which will begin action March 15. Signup deadline is March 1. All play will be at Tennis Faire and cost is $1 per player for each match. Phone Tennis Faire, 846-3770, for more information (Times Photo)

Upper middle class is Pleasanton destiny

(Editor's note: this is the third in a series on the mitigation measures mentioned in the environmental element of the Pleasanton general plan. The environmental element meets the requirement of an environmental impact report for the general plan, which was adopted recently by the city council.)

PLEASANTON — This city is destined to remain an upper middle class town, with a continuing attempt to secure small patches of low and moderate income housing, according to the demographic section of the general plan's environmental element.

The demographic element speaks to the socio - economic makeup of the city. The general plan mentions only two mitigation measures to prevent a total homogenization of the city into an upper - middle class town.

The two mitigation measures are a higher proportion of multiple units and a continued striving for low and moderate income housing subsidy programs.

Other mitigation measures are mentioned in the environmental element, but they are not officially a part of the city's general plan. The environmental element really speaks of two tracks: one track is the official mainstream mitigation measures adopted by the city council in the general plan, the other track is a list of suggested alternatives, more radical in nature, which also could be invoked by the city if the federal government got tougher in its environmental demands on cities.

On the man "mainstream track", Pleasanton is saying that raising the percentage of multiple units from the current 19 percent to 25 percent might assist developers to build low or moderate income units. In fact, the city could go as high as 33 percent multiples, judging by development shown on the land use map in the general plan, says the environmental element.

However, increasing the number of multiples is no guarantee that low and moderate income housing will follow automatically, says the environmental element. The document reports that some multiple condominium units in Pleasanton sell for more than $36,000 (at the time the document was written in draft form last year).

Government programs are needed to subsidize the multiple units for low and moderate income persons and the outlook there has not been good lately, says the report.

The mainstream mitigation measure also recommends keeping a portion of the multiples as rental units instead of purchased condominiums. This is needed to satisfy the housing demand by single adults and very young families who don't meet the need for lower - priced family housing, says the document.

On the other track of mitigation measures — those which have not been written into the general plan as stated city policy — are a few which seem to lend more bite to changing the demographic makeup of Pleasanton.

Among the those recommendations are:

— Housing construction on the flatlands is cheaper than on the slopes, so slow down single family home construction now on the flatlands in case future industry floods Pleasanton with the need for low and moderate income housing. (A third of Pleasanton's workers today commute into town.)

— Retain older housing stock. The federal government has funds available to renovate old houses in conjunction with providing low and moderate income shelter. The city may be more likely to get these old housing programs than than federally subsidized new construction.

— Provide for future mobile home parks. "More and more the elderly are turning to mobile homes for their housing needs in order to escape the property tax burden," says the report. "The general plan does not specifically make provision for additional mobile home parks."

— Vary the single family to multiple dwelling ratio so it is "more in line with the county average of about 61 percent single family to 39 percent multiple family residential units."

The plannilng staff was required by state law to insert its rationale for the choice it made on the "mainstream" mitigation measures. It explains why the city did not adopt the "more radical" measures listed under the "other alternatives" considered.

In its rationale the staff said that the decision to continue the upper middle class character of the town is dictated by "present - day construction economics" as well as the city's distance from large employment centers.

The rationale also noted that saving the flatlands for later possible working class housing needs (it costs more to build in the foothills) may be a laudable goal, but it could also mean leapfrog growth which would cost taxpayers more money.

A growth management plan must be adopted by the city, states the rationale. The plan could be the vehicle for implementing some of the above ideas which didn't get into the mainstream mitigation measures adopted in the general plan, says the rationale. The growth management plan also would address itself to the timing of growth, adds the rationale. — by Ron McNicoll

14.88 MGD

City supports pipeline stand

LIVERMORE — The city council has directed its representatives to the Livermore - Amador Valley Water Management Agency (LAVWMA) to support last summer's decision that the capacity of the valley pipeline project be 14.88 million gallons per day (mgd).

That capacity is based on a 20-year population projection for the valley of 149,000.

Mayor Archer Futch and Councilman Don Miller, Livermore's representatives to LAVWMA, will reiterate the city's position at the LAVWMA meeting Thursday night when the capacity for the valley pipeline project may be determined.

The subject of Livermore's position was brought up again at the council meeting Monday night when members for the first time saw a flow projection chart prepared for LAVWMA by John Corollo Engineers of Walnut Creek which both Futch and Miller agreed was "riddled with mathematical errors" (Miller's words).

Both LAVWMA members were obviously agitated with both the results of the chart and its 11th hour arrival.

In addition to Livermore's position that the pipeline project capacity should be 14.88 mgd, Futch and Miller were directed to reiterate that the city wants its share of the capacity based on present valley population.

They also were asked to recommend surge ponds be used to obtain the average flow, not the peak flow, and there not be enough capacity to serve a new urban development (New Town).

The vote on the direction was 4-1, John Staley dissenting because he wanted to take additional time to consider the matter and study the charts. Time factors would not allow for such action, according to Futch.

Zone change asked by gravel company

Rhodes & Jamieson will ask the Alameda County Board of Supervisors for approval of an office on five acres at 1645 Stanley Boulevard.

The office zoning is on a portion of 177 acres which Rhodes & Jamieson is using for gravel harvesting.

The public hearing will begin at 9 a.m. tomorrow in the supervisors' chambers, fifth floor, county administration building, 1221 Oak Street, Oakland.

Low-income job aid program offered

LIVERMORE — The Family Tutorial Program, a non - profit organization specializing in helping low - income people get better jobs, will be enrolling people in their program Thursday, March 4 in downtown Livermore.

They are especially looking for heads of household and welfare recipients. They can help skilled, unskilled, unemployed and underemployed southern Alameda County residents get better jobs.

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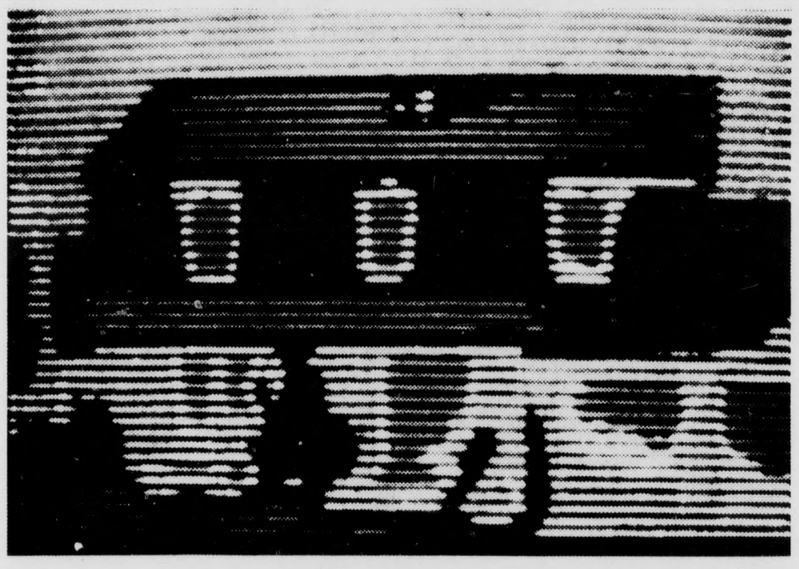
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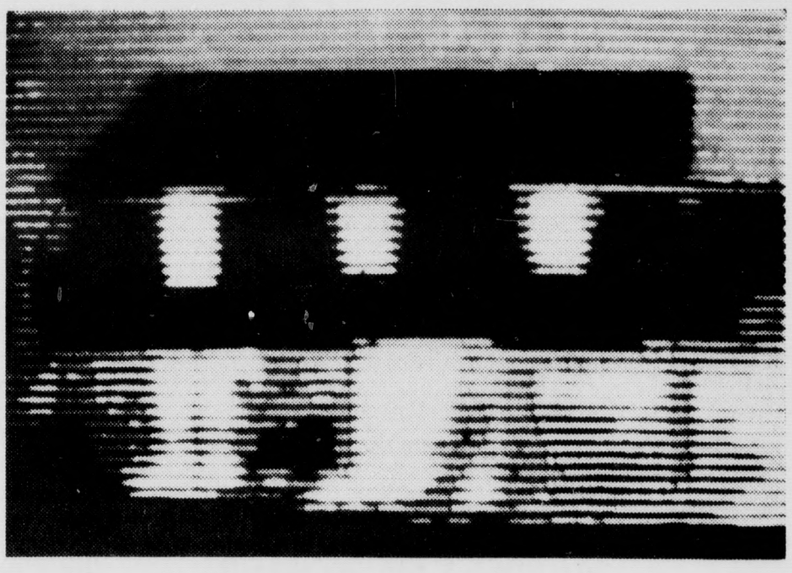
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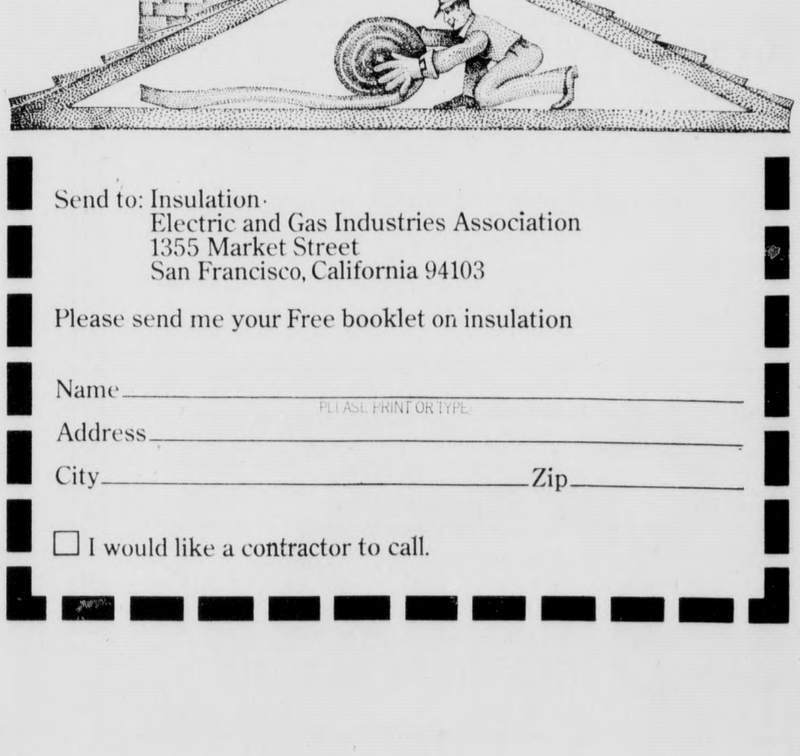
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